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NEWS FROM EUROPE.

ARRIVAL OF THE AFRICA.

France Refers the Question of Savoy to the Great Powers.

The American Coasting Trade in Parliament.

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ANOTHER JOURNAL SUPPRESSED IN FRANCE.

General and Miscellaneous News.

The Royal Mail Steamship *Africa*, Capt. SHANNON, from Liverpool at 9 A. M. on the 18th February, arrived here yesterday morning.

The *Teutonia* arrived at Southampton on the 16th February.

The *Nova Scotian* arrived at Liverpool at 9½ o'clock on the evening of the 16th, and the *Circassian* reached Galway on the same day.

The *Fulton* arrived at Southampton on the 17th.

THE QUESTION OF SAVOY.

SEMI-OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE QUESTION.

From the London Morning Post.

This question no longer adds to the complications of Europe.

It arose out of circumstances not within the control of France. The Emperor NAPOLEON had foreseen and urged a Confederation in Italy. The course of events pointed in the direction of an Italian Kingdom. In such an event it was obvious that great inconvenience would arise from the French slopes of the Alps being a portion of that kingdom. Hence the suggestion for the cession of Savoy.

The French Government has now, however, expressed its willingness to defer to the decision that may be arrived at by the great Powers of Europe on the question; and all fear of collision may therefore be considered as definitively obviated.

MINISTERIAL DISCLOSURE IN PARLIAMENT.

In the House of Commons, on the 16th, Sir R. PEEL asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether her Majesty's Government had any objection to state the nature of the communications which had passed between the Sardinian and British Governments with respect to the cession of a portion of the Sardinian territory to France; and also whether her Majesty's Government had had occasion to communicate to the French Government the opinion entertained by other powers on that subject; and whether, in the event of the annexation of Savoy to France being effected, her Majesty's Government were prepared to abandon the neutrality of Switzerland, as guaranteed by Great Britain, in common with other European Powers?

Lord J. RUSSELL—With regard to the nature of the communications which have passed between Sardinia and the British Government, we have inquired from Sardinia whether there was any engagement or any intention of ceding Savoy to France, and the answer has been generally that there was no intention upon the subject, and that Sardinia has not the intention of ceding Savoy to France. [Hear, hear.] That is the general nature of the answer which has been given. We have not communicated to the French Government the opinions entertained by other Powers; for we have not received intimations from other Powers [illegible] as to the last question, whether, in the event of the annexation of Savoy to France, we were prepared to abandon the neutrality of Switzerland. I have to say that the Swiss Government has not asked us whether, in the case of such an annexation, we were prepared to maintain the neutrality of Switzerland; and we have always replied that we were prepared to do so. [Hear.] It appears that other dispositions are guaranteed by the treaty of Vienna in the same manner as Switzerland, that they are part of the same general arrangement and guarantee. But it is stated, and, I think, with great truth, by the Sardinian Government, that it would hardly be an equivalent guarantee if those districts were to belong to France instead of belonging to Sardinia. Accordingly, their view is that, in the event of any such annexation taking place, those districts should belong to Switzerland, and be guaranteed by the general guarantee of Switzerland, and that, supposing any such annexation to take place, appears to us a very fair proposal on the part of Sardinia. I am only somewhat afraid that Switzerland may be tempted by this proposal of aggrandizement to favor the annexation rather than otherwise. But I have received assurances that the Swiss Government wish things to remain as they are, and Savoy to remain part of Sardinia. [Hear, hear.] As far as Switzerland and Sardinia are concerned, I believe that there is no wish or intention that this annexation should take place.

Mr. H. SEYMOUR FITZROY—Would the noble lord kindly inform the House whether he has received any communication that information has been addressed to that Court, to the effect that if Central Italy is annexed to Piedmont it will be impossible for France to allow Sardinia to remain in possession of Savoy and Nice?

Lord J. RUSSELL—I have received no information in the terms which the honorable gentleman has stated. But certainly it has, as far as I know, been communicated by the Government of France to Sardinia, that if the kingdom of Piedmont was increased to a very considerable extent by the annexation of Central Italy, France would not think her frontier secure without the annexation of those provinces. [Hear, hear.]

THE ITALIAN QUESTION.

THE EMPEROR AND THE POPE.

REPLY OF THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT TO THE ENCYCLICAL LETTER OF THE POPE.

We find in *La Presse* the text of the circular addressed by M. THOUVENEL, French Secretary for Foreign Affairs, to the French Ambassadors at the several European Courts, to which our telegraphic dispatch has already alluded. We translate it and give it in full, as it relates to a subject of universal interest:

SIR: You are informed of the encyclical letter which the Pope has addressed to all the patriarchs, bishops and primates of the Catholic Church, and in which the Holiness, explaining from his own point of view the origin and nature of the difficulties presented by the actual condition of the Romagna, exhorts the rulers and the faithful throughout the world to combine all their efforts and their zeal in maintaining and defending the rights of the Holy See over those provinces.

Not doubting that this document will have attracted the serious attention of the Government to which you are accredited, I deem it my duty to inform you of the opinions entertained in regard to it by the Government of his Majesty.

I shall not stop at present to answer the reproaches, more or less marked, which are aimed by the Encyclical letter against the line of conduct followed by the Emperor in respect to the Holy See, in the difficult conjunctures of recent days. History, in its impartiality, will one day decide upon whom rests the responsibility of events—whether upon the Sovereign whose efforts have constantly tended to anticipate them, or upon those who, refusing all concessions and every reform, and taking refuge in an inexplicable inactivity, have left the state of affairs to grow worse—upon is that point where evil often becomes irremediable.

What has particularly struck with sad surprise the Government of His Majesty is the forgetfulness which, in a case of so much importance, the Court of Rome exhibits of diplomatic usage, in carrying directly into the field of religion a question which belongs conspicuously to the temporal order. We see, with a sentiment of regret as sincere as it is profound, the Holy Father appeal to the conscience of the clergy and excite the ardor of the faithful upon a subject which can only be profitably discussed between one Government and another.

There is certainly no question of assailing in the slightest degree the spiritual power of the sovereign pontiff, nor the independence which he needs in order to exercise it within the limits of his rights. The question of the Romagna, now as in other epochs, has arisen from political circumstances; it is also under its political aspect that it must be examined, in seeking for the best means of satisfying necessities in which, I repeat, the Pontifical Government would not have found itself fatally involved, if, instead of waiting with improvidence for the situation to develop itself, it had listened to our counsels and seconded our efforts.

No, whatever may be said by the spirit of party, which does not fear to put on the appearance of religious zeal; whatever may be done to make it believe that the interests of the faith are in peril, thank God there is no question between the Government of His Holiness and that of the Emperor but a purely secular one. We can, therefore, discuss it without doing violence to the sentiments of deference and of respect, that all France honors herself for entertaining towards the common Father of the faithful, and of which His Majesty is always happy to give the first example.

I do not hesitate to say it, Sir, the Court of Rome has not been happily inspired in endeavoring to establish (according to the encyclical letter) a sort of indissoluble connection between two orders of interests which cannot be mingled or confounded without danger. In the early ages of the Church, when the tendencies of civilization were theocratic, this confusion was natural and possible; it was easily accepted by every one because it answered to the state of their minds and consciences. It is thus that it was originally one of the elements of the Papacy, and aided in the formation and development of her territorial sovereignty.

However, history being closely questioned, it would be clearly seen that it was not entirely in invoking motives borrowed from its divine mission, and in demanding in some sort in the name of heaven, that the Papacy,—sometimes with the aid of the population itself, sometimes by that of foreign sovereigns,—succeeded in putting itself in possession of a part of Italy. It must be proclaimed for the honor of the Holy See, that the Popes found in their wisdom, their intelligence, their love of order and of justice —in a word, in the better government that they offered to the people in those times of violence and of anarchy,—one of the essential elements of their political authority.

I shall not insist upon this point of view, fearing if I dwelt upon it now, that it might be thought that I seek an allusion to passing events in the contrast, and wish to borrow from the past a lesson applicable to the present time. Nothing is further from my thoughts. I shall however be permitted to say that in our days, in consequence of a progress which the Government of the Emperor can only consider as a reciprocal benefit acquired for modern society, the separation has been accomplished between the two domains, that of religious order on the one hand, and of political and civil order on the other. The Holy See has not then put itself less in disagreement with the general spirit of the epoch, than with international law, in appealing to conscience, in the name of the faith, on behalf of an interest which, rightly understood, is simply temporal.

I add that this attempt is far from having in its support the authority and precedents of history. In fact, it is not the first time that within a period not far removed from our own the situation of the Romagna and its possessions have been the object of a political debate. In 1797, after events of which he must, as sovereign, accept the responsibility, the Pope ceded his provinces to France by the Treaty of Tolentino, at the same time that he renounced the ancient rights of the Holy See to the territory of Avignon; and, however lively might be his regret for the diminution of his domains, PIUS VI. undoubtedly believed that he could subscribe to this agreement without failing in his duties as Sovereign Pontiff and guardian of the faith. The two contracting parties were not the only ones to see in this transaction only a temporal fact having no bearing whatever upon religion.

The preliminaries signed at Leoben, two months later, between France and Austria, attest that Vienna did not differ from France on this subject. After having entertained during the war strict relations with the Court of Rome she lent herself, nevertheless, to a combination which, assigning to her a part of the Venetian States, indemnified this Republic by transferring to her the possession of the three Legations of the Romagna, of Ferrara and of Bologne. The treaties of Campo Formio and of Lunéville still further consecrated under another form the separation of these provinces, and in the different arrangements which were then agreed upon, it was never supposed that the Governments which took part in them were meddling with the prerogatives of the Holy See in reference to its spiritual power and religious interests.

If there is a disposition to examine other points of contemporaneous history, who does not remember that, at the beginning of this century, certain ecclesiastical territories, such as the bishopric of Salzburg, the provostship of Berchtesgarden, the bishoprics of Trent, of Brixen and of Eichstadt, were used, upon the demand of Austria to indemnify the dispossessed Archdukes? In respect to these territories as well as the Legations and the Electorate of Mayence, no identity was recognized between the temporal right of the possessor and the interest of religion: the ecclesiastical character of the sovereigns was no obstacle to the arrangements which circumstances had rendered necessary.

The participation of the Court of Vienna in these various transactions forbids the supposition that new principles are applied in the action of France. Nothing proves this more clearly than what took place some years later. Pope PIUS VII. returned to Rome and resumed the exercise of his temporal power when, by a secret treaty signed at Naples Jan. 11, 1814, the Emperor FRANCIS, with the view of attaching the King JOACHIM to the cause of the European coalition, had agreed, "for the purpose of acquiring a strong military frontier in accordance with the political necessities of the two powers, to secure to him an accession calculated upon the footing of 400 000 souls, to encroach upon the Roman States, and to use his good offices to cause this concession to be approved and sanctioned by the Holy Father."

So freely admitted at that time was the principle of dividing the Legations and even the Marches between the kingdoms of Naples and Austria, and so independent of all special circumstances was its application regarded, that the next year the King of the Two Sicilies, recalled at Naples upon his throne, endeavored to maintain for his own profit the clause we have just cited.

Austria, for her part, was more fortunate in her pretensions, since she preserved, at the expense of the Holy See, a part of the Legation of Ferrara, upon the left bank of the Po—a territory which had never belonged to the State of Venice. The Pope protested in vain against this arrangement—just as he protested against the non-restoration of the County of Avignon and the territory of Parma to the Holy See. His reclamations, which be based at once upon his ancient rights and upon considerations of advantage to the Church, were not admitted by the Powers; and we shall not be contradicted by the documents relating to the negotiations of 1815, if we add that the Romagna at that time came very near being separated from the Pontifical States. More than one arrangement, conceived with this object, was discussed in the Congress of Vienna, and it is known that Prussia, for instance, proposed to dispose of the Legations in favor of the King of Saxony, who would have received them as compensation. It was not without difficulty that the Pope succeeded in preserving them, and caused the right which he invoked to prevail against the opinion, so worthy of notice, adopted by the plenipotentiaries, that the Legations had fallen, by right of conquest, to the disposal of the allies. Nevertheless the discussion, in regard to the Roman States, was constantly conducted, even by the Catholic powers, upon the basis of considerations exclusively temporal.

Here, Sir, is the only inference which I wish to draw from the examples I have quoted, which show to what an extent the doctrine embodied in the last Encyclical letter, if it conforms to the ideas of the Court of Rome to-day, is found to be in direct contradiction with the most positive principles of politics. I have no intention of resorting to argument against the recognized rights of the Holy See, but I have endeavored to furnish you the means of correcting, in your vicinity, the erroneous impressions, which cause an opinion put forth upon a purely temporal question to be regarded as an assault upon the indefeasible and sacred rights of the Catholic Church.

Accept, Sir, &c.,
(Signed) THOUVENEL.

DISPATCH FROM THE FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER TO THE AMBASSADOR AT ROME.

The *Moniteur* publishes a circular dated Feb. 12, addressed by M. THOUVENEL to the Duke of GRAMMONT, French Ambassador at Rome. This circular examines the recent facts which have caused the present state of affairs in the Legations, and states the reasons of the evil, and to whom belongs the responsibility of it. M. THOUVENEL recalls the events in the Romagna before and during the late war, and endeavors to show that from the day the Austrians evacuated the Romagna the accomplished facts were unavoidable. At the beginning of hostilities the neutrality of the Holy See was proclaimed. The Austrians could, therefore, in complete security, continue to watch for the maintenance of public order in the Legations as we did in Rome. It is not for us to judge the reasons which determined Austria to discontinue her mission while France remained faithful to hers. The Austrians having left, the inhabitants rather found themselves, than made themselves, masters. The insurrection cannot, therefore, be imputed to France. M. THOUVENEL recalls the counsel given by the Emperor to his Holiness on the 14th of July last to grant reforms, which advice was not followed. Rome allowed every opportunity for reconciling the Legations to pass away. The Emperor then addressed his letter of the 31st of December to the Pope. M. THOUVENEL then passed in review the proofs of devotedness which the Imperial Government has given to the Pope in affairs of the interior, as well as the exterior, since 1848, and adds:

"From this statement it can be deduced how much satisfaction it would have afforded, and would still afford, the Government to give its support to a combination capable of relieving the embarrassments of the Holy See; but in this case the good-will of France runs the risk of encountering insurmountable difficulties. The question is not only to restore the Legations to the Pope, but the means must also be found for maintaining them in his possession without having to follow up a new intervention by a fresh occupation. Events have shown how powerless this measure would be to remedy the evil. Public opinion in Europe on this subject is formed. The occupation has been condemned by the lesson of the past. Such a policy is to-day impossible; therefore, the moment had really arrived to discover a different combination, when the Emperor stated the necessity of it to the Pope. Evident interests and pressing considerations had brought the Holy See to such a necessity. A firm and absolute resolution to refuse to recognize the real nature of the present state of affairs would aggravate it more and more, and would, at last, create insurmountable difficulties. On the contrary, should the Holy See decide to leave the religious region, to which the question does not really belong, in order to return to the ground of the temporal interests which alone are at stake, his Holiness would then bring about, however late, chances favorable to his cause. In any case, it would then allow the Emperor to lend his support to a conciliatory and reasonable policy."

The Duke of GRAMMONT is authorized to read and to leave a copy of this dispatch with the Cardinal ANTONELLI.

THE POPE TO THE IRISH SYMPATHIZERS.

The subjoined is the translation of the reply of his Holiness to the address of sympathy from the clergy and laity of the Diocese of Kilmore:

"Venerable brother and beloved children, health and apostolic benediction—We had reason to know that the ardor of exalted piety, devotion, fidelity and love for us and for this Holy See of Peter was burning deep both in your own heart and in the hearts of the flock intrusted to your care; and your letter, bearing date the 2d of this month, entirely confirms us in that conviction. That letter, therefore, was a source of consolation to us, and so great devotional promptitude manifested by you soothed not a little the grief of my heart. No wonder, indeed, that this great tumult in Italy and the revolt of some of our provinces—a revolt which, fomented by the enemies of the Roman See, is most shamefully sustained and cherished by faction, fraud and armed violence—no wonder, indeed, that such a state of things would affect you with profound grief; for it is well known that the Roman Pontiffs have, by a special dispensation of Divine Providence, been vested with temporal sovereignty in order that they may more easily and without any impediment discharge the duties of their apostolic ministry. Maddened with hatred against this sovereignty, men the most unscrupulous and wicked leave nothing untried to lessen the unanimity of Catholics in guarding those temporal rights, and by writings fraught with hypocrisy deceive the simple and incautious. In all prayer and supplication cease not to beseech Almighty God that, being appeased, He may propitiously regard our common application, and that He may strengthen our infirmity, so that, without dread of any earthly power however high, and undismayed by any danger however great, we may defend against all attacks the patrimony of this Roman See, which belongs to the universal Church, and is used for its benefit. Whilst we are deeply grateful to you, venerable brother, for your devoted attachment to us, and highly appreciating the reverential zeal of my beloved children, we warmly praise, as it deserves, your unwavering fidelity and devotedness to us and to this Holy See, of which your tender sympathy with us under our present trials is another proof. We humbly implore Almighty God to bestow all blessings upon you, as an earnest of which we anjoin the apostolic benediction, which to you, venerable brother, and to all the clergy and faithful of your diocese of Kilmore we, with our heart's tenderest affection, most lovingly impart.—Given at Rome, Jan. 28, 1860, A. D., and fourteenth of our Pontificate.

PIUS, P. P. IX.

COUNT CAVOUR ON THE ANNEXATION OF CENTRAL ITALY.

Count CAVOUR has addressed the following letter to Commander BUONCOMPAGNI, President of the Liberal Union, in reply to an address from that body on the subject of the annexation of Central Italy to the Subalpine kingdom:

I am most grateful to you for the expressions of sympathy and esteem which you address to me in the name of the Liberal Union. The King's Government has imposed on itself the noble and difficult task of giving to the provinces of Italy, freed from all foreign influence, those liberal institutions which have given so much moral strength to Piedmont. And since, for our happiness, the national idea cannot be any longer separated from that of liberty, no administration can direct public affairs with advantage and efficacy if it has not the confidence of the King and of the Parliament. Actuated by this principle, my colleagues and myself will hasten the convocation of the Chambers as much as circumstances will allow, and labor, without ceasing, to remove all the difficulties which still oppose the annexation so ardently desired by every true Italian. I am happy to assure you that Europe, more convinced by the fresh proofs of concord and constancy which we have given, will no longer hesitate to accede to our ardent wishes. It is no longer a secret that diplomacy demands, as a condition of its consent, a new manifestation of the wishes of the people of Central Italy. This final demonstration of firmness and unanimity might appear superfluous to us, who have witnessed the noble fervor and spontaneousness of the wishes already expressed by the populations, but it is desirable to obviate every pretext on the part of those who would represent these manifestations of the popular will as having been dictated solely by the imminent danger of an armed restoration. Now the principle of non intervention is about to receive public and more explicit confirmation, the sublime signification of this great act of the national will will not be lessened in the eyes of Europe and of posterity. I therefore hope that the new Assembly will be able to give its legal sanction to this fact, which will immediately open a new era in the history of Italy. It is of the utmost importance that the elections should send to Parliament representatives worthy of Italy's past—worthy of the splendid future which opens before her. Such is precisely the object of the association over which you preside, and I feel confident that, thanks to its cooperation, the new members will be, by their wisdom and unanimity, worthy members of the new Italian Parliament. Will you express, Sir, my gratitude to the Association, and receive, &c.,

C. CAVOUR.

The Austrian *Gazette* announced positively on the 16th February, that the answer of Count RECHBERG to the dispatch of M. THOUVENEL on the Italian question had not been given. It also contradicted the statement that the Prince von HESSE proceeds to St. Petersburgh on an extraordinary mission.

The official Dresden journal publishes a telegram from St. Petersburgh, to the effect that Russia had rejected the English propositions for the settlement of the affairs of Italy.

It was asserted that M. THOUVENEL had sent a dispatch to Vienna, reminding Austria of her promise concerning Venetia.

GREAT BRITAIN.

In the House of Lords, on the 16th of February, the Earl of AIRLIE moved for copies of all correspondence between the Government and Lord COWLEY and Mr. COBDEN, respecting the negotiation of the treaty of commerce with France. He stated that his object was to obtain some explanation of an article in the treaty which bound England not to prohibit the export of coal.

A debate ensued involving the merits of the coal question. Earls HARDWICKE and GREY protested against the terms of the treaty, while the Dukes of SOMERSET and ARGYLE and Earl GRANVILLE defended the action of Government. The motion was agreed to.

On the same evening Lord JOHN RUSSELL, in reply to Mr. B. OSBORNE, said, with reference to the statement in the *Times*, that Lord ELGIN was again to be sent on a special mission to China, that Government had as yet come to no definite arrangement in the matter. His Lordship also stated that he would introduce his Reform bill on the 1st of March.

Mr. LIDDELL asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether the opinion of the law officers of the crown had been taken upon the American law of 1848, which confers exclusive privileges upon American vessels engaged in the trade between New-York and California, either by Panama or by Cape Horn, and defines such to be a coasting voyage; whether the exclusion of British and foreign ships from any participation in a coasting trade, so defined, was or was not a violation of the treaties in force between this country and America, which stipulate for a reciprocal liberty of commerce; and whether there was any objection to produce copies of all correspondence that had taken place between the British and American Governments upon this subject.

Lord J. RUSSELL, who spoke in a very indistinct tone, was understood to say that the opinion of the law officers of the crown had been taken generally as to whether the trade carried on between places situate like New York and California could properly be called a coasting trade, and the Board of Trade had remarked, and very justly, that the trade between the northern and western ports of France and the ports situate on the Mediterranean would be considered a coasting trade. But the American government had stated that they were limited by the Articles of their Constitution. The question, according to them, was not to be decided by the law of 1848, and according to their view of their Constitution they could not grant the coasting trade to Great Britain. We could hardly dispute the construction which they gave to their own Constitution. The government had several times applied to the American government, asking them to give us the same privileges as we granted them. The trade by which goods were unloaded from American vessels, carried across the Isthmus of Panama, and shipped in other ships, did not appear, in any sense of the word, to be properly called a coasting trade. Correspondence on the subject was now going on, therefore it would be impossible to give it at present. Lord LYONS had very recently made a representation to the American Minister for Foreign Affairs, who had replied that he would take the opinion of the Treasury upon it. The Government could not consider it a violation of the treaty between this country and America, at the same time it was a great disappointment after the professions that were made by the American Minister in this country at the time when our navigation laws were repealed. He said, in effect—"If you give much, we shall give much; if you give all, we shall give all." [Hear, hear.] Upon that representation our coasting trade had been thrown open to the Americans; they had given us access to their foreign trade, but their definition of the coasting trade was very unsatisfactory. [Hear, hear.]

A motion by Mr. W. WILLIAMS to abolish flogging in the Army and Navy, was negatived; and one by Sir C. NAPIER, for improvement in manning the Navy, was adopted.

In the House of Lords, on the 17th, the Earl of GRANVILLE stated that a communication had been received from the French Government that if Central Italy were annexed to Sardinia, they should deem it necessary to annex some part of Savoy, but that they should not make such an annexation without consulting the other great Powers, or without the consent of the inhabitants of Savoy.

In the House of Commons Mr. DUCANE gave notice of an amendment to the Budget, to the effect that it is inexpedient at present to diminish the ordinary revenue, or to increase the income tax.

The Commercial treaty with France was criticised at some length, the conservatives showing considerable hostility to it.

Mr. SIDNEY HERBERT introduced the Army estimates, and moved a vote of the requisite number of men, (143,362) which was agreed to.

Mr. DISRAELI gave notice of motion that the House should consider the Commercial treaty before the Budget.

Queen VICTORIA held her first *levée* of the season at St. James' Palace on the 15th February. Mr. HENRY A. STORR, of New-York, was presented to Her Majesty by Mr. DALLAS.

The iron-masters of Glasgow had agreed to keep all their furnaces out of blast for another fortnight.

An official investigation into the burning of the ship *Endymion*, in the Mersey, was commenced in Liverpool on the 15th, at the instance of the Board. An objection was raised, on behalf of the American Consul, against the jurisdiction of the Court on the ground that the *Endymion* was an American ship, and the inquiry was consequently adjourned to the 28th February.

The Budget and the Commercial treaty with France continued to be actively canvassed, and meetings *pro* and *con.* were being held by the various Commercial bodies throughout England.

We recently alluded, says the London *Times*, to the fact of the return of the packet ship *Guy Mannering* to Liverpool, after almost unprecedented hardships experienced on the Atlantic. When it was discovered that her rudder was broken, Mr. BROWN, the first officer, was slung over the stern, and after the lapse of two hours and a half he succeeded in securing pennets to the back of the rudder, by which means the ship was steered back to port. The vessel drew 22 feet water at the time, and the pennets were attached below 20 feet mark.

A motion was pending in the Common Council of London to present the freedom of the City in a gold box to Mr. COBDEN for his distinguished services in the cause of Free-trade. The German journals state that Mr. COBDEN had declined the cross of the Legion of Honor offered to him by the Emperor of the French.

The death of Rev. Dr. MURRAY, Bishop of Rochester, is announced.

The Army estimates had been published. The total amount required is £14,842 000, being a net increase on last year of £1,982,978. The land force is to number 143,000 men, an increase of 6,456. In addition to this, the East Indian Establishment is 92,000, making the total number 235,000 men. The manufacture of the Armstrong gun absorbs a large portion of the increased estimates.

We regret to learn that a still greater change for the worse has taken place in the health of Miss FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE than was even lately announced, when great fears were entertained. She has left Hempstead for London in consequence.

The new Whitworth guns had been tried with success. In range and accuracy, the Armstrong gun is said to have been surpassed.

A correspondent of the Liverpool *Post* states that Sen. GUTIERREZ, the Minister of Salvador, has just negotiated a treaty with an eminent London firm for the construction of a railroad across the Isthmus.

Another attempt, it appears, is to be made to link England and the United States together by a telegraphic cable. At the annual meeting of the Atlantic Telegraph Company, which was announced for the 29th ult., a proposition was to be made for enabling the directors "either with the whole or with a portion of the shareholders, or with other persons," to make arrangements for raising the injured portion of the cable, and for making another effort, next Summer, to complete the original undertaking of the Company.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE SIR W. NAPIER.

On the 17th, the day that the mail was made up in London, the remains of the late Sir WILLIAM NAPIER, author of the *History of the Peninsular War*, a work whose accuracy and truthfulness won the commendations of WELLINGTON, as its graphic account of the events narrated has done those of every reader, were consigned to the earth in Norwood Cemetery, a few miles south of the British metropolis. In accordance with that simplicity which marked the habits of the deceased, as it did those of his gallant brother, the conqueror of Scinde, the funeral was as plain as if it had been that of a simple tradesman, nothing but the number of carriages which composed the mournful cortege indicating that the remains of England's greatest military historian, and one of her most gallant soldiers, were being borne to their last resting-place. Such is said to have been the wish expressed in the will made by Sir WILLIAM two years ago. The coffin was of plain oak, uncovered, and without even a nail to relieve its simplicity, and no sable plumes nodded above the hearse which bore it. Seven mourning coaches followed, and after these came ten private carriages. The procession left Scinde House, at Clapham, in the vicinity of the metropolis, at 11 o'clock, and arrived at the cemetery a little after noon. The day was remarkably fine, but few strangers were assembled, and the whole number present, the mourners included, did not probably exceed fifty. The grave was an ordinary one, near the church, which is situated on the most elevated portion of the grounds; and no sermon was preached. Foremost among the mourners were the only son of the deceased, a fine youth, but who has the misfortune to be deaf and dumb; his daughters, and the husband of one of them, Col. MACMURDO, who served under the late Sir CHARLES JAMES NAPIER, in Scinde, where, at the battle of Meanee, he clove a Beloochee chief to the middle; and Admiral Sir C. NAPIER, cousin to the deceased, and member for Southwark—now the last of a trio of heroes. Among the spectators was a turbaned native of the East, who seemed to take much interest in the proceedings. Surprise at the unadorned simplicity of the coffin and hearse seemed to be the predominant feeling among the onlookers, some contrasting it with the funeral of the Indian hero, who was buried at Portsmouth with military honors, and others observing that ere long the remains of the deceased would be exhumed, and interred in St. Paul's, as a tribute of respect from the British nation, at the expense of some of the foremost of whose public men there are two statues erected in London to "the bearded vision that swept Scinde."

The American Speakership.

From the London Times.

The Congress of the United States has for the last two months presented a spectacle by no means edifying to those who are determined to see nothing but what is excellent on the other side of the Atlantic. It was only on the 1st inst., after a session which commenced on the first Monday in December, that the House of Representatives was able to constitute a majority sufficiently large for the election of a Speaker. It was not that the Speaker is of any particular consequence when he is appointed, but that the House is so split up by faction that neither side would make this concession to the other. The Speaker is elected for two years only, and is not, as with us, a candidate for elevation to a post of dignity and honor. After the Congress shall have expired the Speaker will return to the ranks of his fellow-citizens, with only such distinction as the manner in which he has discharged his duty may have earned for him. Whichever side might succeed, nobody doubted that it would have placed in the chair a gentleman fully competent to the discharge of his duties, and it was therefore inexcusably childish to waste the session in disputes the result of which was certain to be utterly trivial.

We must not, however, commit the error of comparing the disorganization and disorder of public business which this delay will cause in the United States to that which would occur if we were to forbear for two months to name a Speaker for the House of Commons. With us the finance of the year would be shipwrecked, a number of valuable laws would remain unenacted, an enormous quantity of private business, involving the most important pecuniary interests, would remain undone, and the session would be absorbed in the fruitless attempt to overtake the time so needlessly cast away. No such results need be apprehended, at least to anything like the same extent, from the abstraction of two months from the session of the American Congress. Instead of having to transact the whole business of an empire, the American Congress is limited to certain functions delegated to it by the Sovereign States whose Union it represents, and these functions are neither very numerous nor very complicated. It may be thought that Congress has an immense deal to do in regulating the finance of a great and industrious people, and in solving the numerous problems of legislation which baffle the timid statesmen of old communities trammeled by inveterate traditions, and bedded over by monarchies and aristocracies. No mistake can be more complete. It takes a vast deal of oratory to spin out the session and to fill up the requisite period allotted to deliberations by which nothing is decided. The Assembly, at least, which has no executive duties to perform, leads a tolerably easy life until in the last week or two, and under the stifling heat of a Washington Summer, it hurries through, in an almost continuous session, the work that should properly have been spread over many months. The fact is, the Federal Legislature does not enjoy in America anything like the importance, nor does it exercise the influence, of the English Parliament. The void which it would create were it to disappear altogether is one that it would be by no means possible to fill up. Whence arises this remarkable difference? Partly, as we have shown, from the more restricted jurisdiction of Congress, but partly also from its different relation towards the head and members of the Executive Government. In England the Executive springs out of and forms a part of the Parliament, and the legislative and administrative functions are so happily blended together that each gives strength and consideration to the other. The Executive is respected not only for the functions it performs, but because without possessing the confidence of Parliament it could not become or continue the Executive; and the Legislature derives additional strength from the fact that it not only makes the laws, but exercises a complete control over those who are to administer them. Thus each in turn assists the other, and the Executive and Legislature, acting in harmony with each other, and mutually dependent, are far stronger than they would be if they discharged their several functions without concert and intimate relation. But in America the case is entirely different. There the Executive Government derives its origin from one direct popular vote, and Congress derives its origin from another popular vote. Neither has any obligation to consult the wishes, because neither depends upon the support of the other. They are coördinate powers, and may, and generally do, exercise their functions each without reference to the other. Hence it happens that, instead of strengthening each other, they are in turn causes of weakness; that the Executive is feeble for the want of the sanction of the Legislature, and the Legislature inert for want of the direction and stimulus afforded by the Executive.

The superiority of the English form of government is so obvious, and the inconvenience of an Executive Government which, as often happens in America, is in a minority in the two Houses of Legislature is so glaring, that our colonies have not hesitated one and all to prefer the English to the American system. They have adopted responsible government by acclamation, and are at present in its full enjoyment. Their experience, however, suggests the gravest doubts whether they will be able to retain the principle so eagerly caught at of the direct responsibility of the Executive to the Legislature. The system has proved not so easy to work as it appeared at first, and has given not a little reason to admire the forethought and prudence of the men who framed the American Constitution. American statesmen saw that, though the English system might be the best, it was one that could not be engrafted on a Constitution thoroughly democratic. The Legislature which is to be entrusted with the delicate task of making and unmaking the Executive Government, while abstaining from the ruinous error of usurping executive functions into its own hands, must be composed of men superior to the momentary influences which sway an unbridled democracy, and capable of habitual exercise of moderation and forethought. Such a body cannot spring from equal electoral districts and universal suffrage, where the voice of the uninstructed many overpower the opinion of the educated few. There was, therefore, no choice for America but to invest the Administration by positive law with the durability which it was vain to hope from the prudence and moderation of a Legislature so constituted, and, if America has thus lost the advantage of an Executive in harmony with the feelings of the Legislature, she has, at any rate, avoided the evils of perpetual change. It is, we fear, but too probable that our colonies which have chosen to imitate America rather than England in the highly democratic constitution of their Legislatures will find themselves driven to apply the same remedies to the same evils, and forced by the intolerable instability of successive Governments to give them a legal duration, and thus effect a final divorce between the legislative and executive power. In the meanwhile, we have good reason to congratulate ourselves that we have not, instead of our present Parliamentary Government, a band of officials unconnected with Parliament, and holding office, whether popular or unpopular, efficient or inefficient, for a fixed term of years.

FRANCE.

The Marquis DE LAVALETTE is appointed French Ambassador at Constantinople.

It is stated that the French Government had entered into relations with Prussia as a member of the Zollverein, with a view to negotiating a commercial treaty similar to that concluded with England. Prussia is said to have made the first advances.

The journal *Bretagne*, published at St. Brieux, had been suppressed. The reason given for the suppression is the publication of an address of three Deputies to the Emperor, which, by lamenting that the prolongation of incertitude would separate all sincere Catholics from the cause of the Emperor, is a sort of protest against the policy of the Government as regards the Roman question.

M. ARESE, the Sardinian Envoy, had been received by the Emperor.

The Paris Bourse on the 17th was firmer and advanced 15c. Rentes closing at 67f. 70c.

SUPPRESSION OF ANOTHER JOURNAL.

The *Moniteur* publishes the following report to the Emperor from the Minister of the Interior:

SIRE: The journal *La Bretagne*, published at Saint-Brieuc, states in its number of the 11th inst., that "at the moment when," according to that journal, "the inexplicable change which has just taken place in the high regions of power spread alarm and consternation in all Catholic hearts, several deputies, hitherto the most devoted to the imperial dynasty and to its policy, spontaneously assembled in Paris from the most distant parts of France, and concerted among themselves as to the measures to be adopted to make the truth reach the foot of the throne." As a result of this meeting, the journal gives, under the form of an address signed by three members of the Legislative Body, a kind of protest against the policy followed by the Government on the Roman question. The document concludes with these words, "It is for you, Sire, and for your dynasty that we deplore the uncertainty which now prevails, and which, if prolonged, would separate from you all sincere Catholics." The same journal adds, "The only reply that the signers of that address received was the suppression of the *Univers*; all their uncertainty has therefore ceased." I do not propose to you, Sire, to examine how far the separation above proclaimed agrees with the oath of fidelity to the Emperor taken by the members of the Legislative Body. Your Majesty, under any circumstance, may hold for certain that if the populations, in whose name these three Deputies speak, were consulted, it would be from these representatives, and not from the Emperor, that they would separate; but I now only call your attention to the journal which has given to this manifestation the cooperation of its publicity. In a question where your intentions and acts are so violently misrepresented and culminated by party spirit; where such obstinacy is shown in forgetting all that you have done during the last ten years, to protect religion in France and at Rome; where, purposely confounding the spiritual with the temporal, dogmas with politics, the wisest counsels are represented to the eyes of the simple as spoliation and the most indefatigable kindness as hypocrisy, the forbearance which your Government shows under so many unjust and passionate attacks, must have a limit. It is impossible to tolerate that, in the midst of those Breton populations, at once so pious and so devoted to the Emperor, internal divisions should be openly and, as it were, officially sown; that their faith should be abused, and that the Prince who restored Rome to the Pope, and has never ceased to protect him there, should be represented to them as the enemy of his temporal power, and almost of the Pope himself. The journal which undertakes such a work places itself under the weight of the provisions of the decree of Feb. 17, 1852, and I request your Majesty to apply them to it. I am, &c.

BILLAULT.

The report is followed by a decree suppressing the journal *La Bretagne*.

SPAIN AND MOROCCO.

Marshal O'DONNELL was actively engaged in forwarding the war preparations, and in reconnoitring the country surrounding Tetuan. He had received eleven delegates sent by MULEY ABBAS to ask on what conditions peace would be reëstablished. Marshal O'DONNELL replied that the Queen alone had the right to fix the conditions of peace. He had, however, sent a messenger to Madrid on the subject.

The public spirit in Spain was warlike. A Madrid telegram of the 16th, says, that Gen. USTARIS had left Tetuan as bearer of the conditions upon which peace will be granted.

The *Correspondenz Autografa* believes the war will continue.

ITALY.

The King of Sardinia arrived at Milan on the 15th February, and was received with extraordinary enthusiasm.

M. VEUILLOT, editor of the late *Univers*, had arrived at Rome, and a pamphlet from his pen was expected shortly to make its appearance simultaneously at Paris, Brussels and Geneva.

The new Roman loan had been negotiated with Belgian capitalists—the 3 per cents at 56 and the fives at 93.

900 Bavarians enlisted for the Papal army had arrived at Ancona and others were expected.

AUSTRIA.

Large numbers of political prisoners from Venetia were being sent to Sclavonia and elsewhere.

Austria had prohibited the export of a large quantity of arms which was on the way to Servia through Austria.

PRUSSIA.

The first Chamber had discussed the Government Matrimonial law, and had rejected civil marriage in every form.

TURKEY.

A change in the Ministry is spoken of. It is said the Grand Vizier will be replaced by Mehemet KABRIBLI PACHA, and FUAD PACHA by ETHEM PACHA. Discontent is increasing in the provinces of the empire. Protestant missionaries have left for the interior. The Turkish army

CITY GOVERNMENT.

THE ALDERMEN AND SWEEPING AND CLEANING STREETS.

THE MAYOR AND CONTRACTOR—INVESTIGATION—COMPARATIVE VIEWS OF THE COST OF STREET-CLEANING—THE ASSEMBLY AND SMITH—POWERS OF THE CITY INSPECTOR.

Alderman Farley, Platt and Brady, of the Committee on Streets, Crosby of the Board of Aldermen, met at 3 P. M. Saturday, in room No. 8 City Hall, for the purpose of instituting an investigation with regard to the agreement entered into by the City Inspector, Mr. Delavan, and the contractor, Mr. Smith, for cleaning the streets. Mr. Smith was present, and the Mayor, Mr. Delavan and the City Inspector were invited to be present.

Alderman Farley said the only part of the matter under consideration was, that he had that part of the streets which were lying between Canal and Houston-sts. to clean. The City Inspector had entered into a contract with Mr. Smith to clean the streets for $175,000 a year. In the Comptroller's report, questions as to the latter should be answered. Has Mr. Smith declines performing the work for that sum? Has he applied to the Common Council for an increase? Has the Inspector entered into any agreement with Mr. Smith for the cleaning of the streets for $220,000? If so, when? Has the Inspector the power to enter into such a contract? Has the Common Council been applied to for an increase? Has the Inspector applied to the Mayor for an increase? Has the Mayor refused to grant it? Has the Inspector the power to enter into such a contract? Has the Common Council been applied to

purpose of increasing its facilities for the handling of local and silver coin.

Land Warrants are moderately active, with some anxiety concerning the Homestead bill among dealers. Mr. A. Thompson quotes:

	Buy.	Sell.
40 acres	$1 50	$1 10 per acre.
80 acres	90	95 per acre.
120 acres	72	77 per acre.
160 acres	72	77 per acre.

A private sale of $75,000 New-York State Stock, of recent six-year loan, was made on Saturday at 106¼ ℔ cent.

Annexed is a statement of the business at the United States Mint, Philadelphia, for the month of February:

GOLD BULLION DEPOSITED.

From all sources	$1,636,578 51

SILVER BULLION DEPOSITED.

Including silver purchases	23,410 36
Spanish and Mexican fractions of a dollar received in exchange for new coin	12,113 56
Total	$1,672,037 87
Copper coins (U. S.) received in exchange for new coin	2,875 00

COINAGE EXECUTED—GOLD.

Denomination.	No. of Pieces.	Value.
Double Eagles	$1,608	$1,632,160
SILVER.		
Quarter Dollars	44 000	11,000
Dimes	76,000	7,600
Half Dimes	60,000	3,000
Total	180,000	$21,600
COPPER.		
Cents	2,400,000	24,000
RECAPITULATION.		
Gold Coinage	$1,608	$1,632,160
Silver Coinage	180,000	22,600
Cents	2,400,000	24,000
Total	2,581,608	$1,677,760

The following is the latest Bank return from New-Orleans:

WEEKLY STATEMENT OF THE NEW-ORLEANS BANKS.

BANKS.	Loans. Feb. 25.	Loans. Feb. 18.	Specie. Feb. 25.	Specie. Feb. 18.
Citizens' Bank	$5,812,065	$5,809,023	$3,719,561	$3,742,374
Canal Bank	1,780 111	1,773,148	1 041,732	1,215,041
Louisiana	3,497,892	3,502,287	1,564,867	1,776,988
Louis'na State	3,330,978	3,329 004	3,561,043	3,230 369
Bks. & Traders	1,550,994	1,554,181	433,669	514 488
Bank of N. O.	1,645,497	1,735,722	655,241	640,632
Southern Bk.	222,456	238,384	202,607	239,009
Union Bank	1,770,471	1,736,104	546,929	466,504
Merchants' Bk	758,375	828,812	320,194	269,197
Crescent City	1,239,343	1,231,057	228,813	250,294
Bk. of America	1,146,405	1,160,193	492,322	549,131
Total	24,395,287	25,600,963	12 945 014	12,894 520
	Decrease...$610,686		Increase...$50,654	

BANKS.	Circulation. Feb. 25.	Circulation. Feb. 18.	Deposits. Feb. 25.	Deposits. Feb. 18.
Citizens' Bank	$5,186,700	$5,021,340	$4,582,396	$4,743,899
Canal Bank	1,606,865	1,587,510	1,066 195	1,276 490
Louisiana	962,064	69,749	3,866,323	3,964 994
Louis'na State	2,928,195	2,968,040	5,356,082	5,380,325
Bks. & Traders	422,810	427,065	958,204	993,625
Bank of N. O.	670,750	669,585	1,267,294	1,230,998
Southern Bk.	291,905	293 445	415 376	406,340
Union Bank	649,675	637,810	1,271,090	1,193,607
Merchants' Bk.	461,845	466,310	526,649	513,716
Crescent City	279 575	288,455	429,401	461,143
Bk. of America	246,545	242,760	1,120,894	1,215,064
Total	13,600,419	13,459,189	20,860 813	21,367,100
	Increase...$141,230		Decrease...$516,287	

BANKS.	Exchange. Feb. 25.	Exchange. Feb. 18.	Due Dis. Banks. Feb. 25.	Due Dis. Banks. Feb. 18.
Citizens' Bank	$3,776,959	$2,707 715	$353,962	$350,884
Canal Bank	1,533,652	1,492,873	218,492	213,727
Louisiana	679,345	660,261	275,931	233,914
Louis'na State	763,750	840,787	233,904	105,455
Bks. & Traders	298,614	262,765	74,765	33,347
Bank of N. O.	460,200	408,814	160,264	155,910
Southern Bk.	1,112,187	1,053,231		
Union Bank	277,186	286,569	231,537	240,760
Merchants' Bk	106,953	93,948	74,309	73,306
Crescent City	62,290	55 266	6,042	34,745
Bk. of America	13,834	24,770	6,131	29,120
Total	$8,083,929	$7,866,9.8	$1,635 257	$1,471 169
	Increase...$216,930		Increase...$164,039	

Foreign Markets by Africa.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

The discount market had exhibited increased ease, and at the Bank of England the applications were very moderate.

The Funds had shown an improving tendency, and Consols were slightly higher, closing on the 17th, with a firm feeling, at 94⅝@¾ for Money, and 94⅝@¾ for account.

Government is said to have decided upon a bank-note issue in India to the extent of £5,000,000.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Friday, Feb. 17.

Cotton—The Broker's Circular says: "The demand has been on a moderate scale throughout the week, the trade buying sparingly; the tone of the market is quiet, but without any quotable decline since last Friday." The week's business has been 50,970 bales, including 3,610 taken by speculators, and 5,900 for export. Yesterday (Friday) the sales were about 7,000 bales—1,000 on speculation and for export—the market closing quiet but steady. The authorized quotations are:

Fair Orleans	7¾d.
Middling Orleans	6¾d.
Fair Mobiles	7¼d.
Fair Uplands	7 1-16d.
Middling Uplands	6¾d.
Middling Mobiles	6 11-16d.

The stock on hand is estimated at 613,400 bales, of which 483,876 are American. Some authorities quote a decline of ⅛d. in the lower grades.

Trade at Manchester continues quiet, but prices are perfectly steady.

Breadstuffs—Messrs. Richardson, Spence & Co. report trade generally quiet. Flour nominally unchanged, but difficult to sell, 23s.@28s. 6d. ℔ bbl. Wheat in very limited demand at late rates. Red Western, 9s. 6d.@10s. Southern, 10s @10s. 6d. White, 10s. 6d.@12s. ℔ 100 lbs. Indian Corn dull and rather easier. Yellow, 33s.@33s. 6d. ℔ 480 lbs.

Provisions—Beef in good request; sales 1,300 tcs. Holders are very willing sellers and in some cases have accepted a decline of 2s. 6d. Pork also has met a free sale; 600 bbls. new sold at 75s.@80s., and 900 bbls. repacked at 49s.@52s. 6d. Bacon in improved request at full prices; short middles, 52s.@53s.; long, 50s.@51s.; Cumberland, 47s.@49s. The quality of American this year is highly approved of. Lard in fair demand at 58s. 6d.@60s. for the finer qualities. Tallow quiet but steady at 60s.@60s. 6d. for Butchers' Association.

Produce—Ashes active, and dearer. Sales of the week 680 bbls., at 29s. 6d.@32s. for Pots, and 34s.@35s. for Pearls. Sugars, steady. Coffee, quiet—nothing doing on the spot. Rice, inactive, but prices unchanged. Clover Seed—small sales of New American, at 47s.@50s., and yearling at 38s. 6d.@47s. American Linseed Cakes bring £10@£10 2s. 6d. Fish Oils, quiet, at previous quotations. Linseed Oil in improved request, at 28s @28s. 6d. Sperm, £97@£98. Rosin in limited demand, but steady, at 4s. 6d. for common, and 5s. 6d.@6s. 6d. for medium. Spirits of Turpentine in good demand at improving prices. Sales at 36s. 6d.@37s. on the spot, and 36s.@36s. 9d. to arrive. Tea, quiet but firm.

LONDON MARKETS.

Baring Brothers & Co., report: Corn market rather firmer, but without essential change in prices. White Wheat 46s.@48s.; red 44s.@46s. Flour 22s.@26s Indn steady at £5 10s.@£5 15s. for bars and rails; Scotch Pig 60s. 6d.@60s. 9d. Sugars steady, but quiet. Tea quiet, but firm; Common Congou, 1s. 5¼d. Coffee steady. Indigo—sales had closed. Prices established were 2d.@6d. above October sales. Linseed Cakes active and dearer, £9 17s. 6d.@£10 7s. 6d. for bags and barrels. Sperm Oil advanced to £97@£98 for American. Pale Seal, £34; Cod, £35. Linseed quiet, 27s. 6d. Rice unchanged. Tallow flat, at 60s. Spirits Turpentine active at 37s.@38s., on the spot and to arrive.

HAVRE MARKET.

(For the week ending Feb. 14, inclusive.)

Cotton had shown some animation, but closed dull at 106c. for New-Orleans *tres ordinaire*, and 100f. *bas.* Sales of the week 8,000 bales; stock 127,000. Barbadoes without material alteration. Wheat rather cheaper. Ashes neglected. Coffee active, but rather less firm for some descriptions. Oils dull and nominal. Rice without demand. Sugars animated and firmer. Tallow and Lard stagnant and nominal. Whalebone had not varied.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ REMOVAL.—
BABCOCK, BROS. & CO.,
Have removed from No. 27 Wall st. to
No. 3 Nassau-st.

GENERAL MARKETS.

New-York, Saturday, March 3, 1860—4 P. M.

The reported receipts of the principal kinds of Produce, since our last, have been: 31 bbls. Ashes, 4,932 bbls. Flour, 500 bbls. Corn Meal, 4,201 bushels Oats, 1 000 bushels Malt, 683 pkgs. Provisions and 433 bbls. Whisky.

Ashes—Sales 48 bbls., in lots, at $5 25 for Pots, and $5 50 for Pearls, ℔ 100 lbs. Stock in the Inspection Warehouse, this morning, 1,151 bbls., including 967 bbls. Pots and 184 bbls. Pearls.

Bark—Sales in Philadelphia, 20 hhds. No. 1 Quercitron at $29 ℔ ton.

Coffee—The sales include 400 mats Java at 15¼c., with 200 bags Maracaibo at 13c.@13¼c.; and 300 bags Rio at 12c.@12c¾. ℔ lb.

Cotton—Sales have been somewhat heavier,—having amounted to 2,000 bales, part *in transitu*, at essentially unchanged prices.

NEW-YORK CLASSIFICATION.

	Upland.	Florida.	Mobile.	N. O. & Tex.
Ordinary ℔ lb.	9	9	9¼	9¼
Middling ℔ lb.	11¼	11¾	11¾	11¾
Middling Fair ℔ lb.	12¾	12¾	12¾	13

Dyewoods—Continue quiet at former prices. Stock on hand, 2,304 tons, including 350 tons Barwood, 10 tons Braziletto Wood, 106 tons Fustic, 33 tons Hache Wood, 918 tons Lima Wood, 801 tons Logwood, and 66 tons Sapan Wood.

Flour and Meal—A lively inquiry prevailed to-day for State and Western Flour, prices of which were decidedly firmer. We have heard of sales of 12 250 bbls., including superfine State at $5 20@$5 25; extra State at $5 40@$5 55; inferior to choice superfine Wisconsin, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio, at $5 15 @$5 30; extra Iowa and Wisconsin, at $5 40@$6 40; extra Illinois, Indiana and Michigan, at $5 45@$6 50; inferior extra Ohio at $5 75@$5 85; round hoop extra Ohio, shipping brands, at $5 90@$6 05, ℔ bbl.

Diamond Flour	$4 50	@$5 00
Superfine State	5 20	@ 5 25
Extra State	5 40	@ 5 55
Superfine Western	5 15	@ 5 30
Extra Iowa and Wisconsin	5 40	@ 6 40
Extra Illinois, Indiana and Michigan	5 45	@ 6 50
Inferior Extra Ohio	5 75	@ 5 85
Extra Ohio, round hoop, shipping brds.	5 90	@ 6 05
Extra Ohio, trade brands	6 10	@ 7 85
Fancy Genesee	6 05	@ 7 50
Extra Genesee	6 05	@ 7 40
Inferior to choice Extra Missouri	5 35	@ 7 10

Southern Flour is in brisk demand at rising prices. The reported sales comprise 4,650 bbls., in lots, at $5 75@$6 for poor to good superfine Alexandria, Baltimore, &c.; and $6 05@$7 50 for fancy to choice extra brands, ℔ bbl. Canadian finds ready buyers, including inferior to very choice extra, chiefly at $5 75@$7 25 ℔ bbl. About 400 bbls. changed hands within the range. Rye Flour is selling at $3 60@ $4 40 for fine and superfine, ℔ bbl. Corn Meal continues in limited request, at $3 65@3 70 for Jersey; $4 for Baltimore, and $4 15 for Brandywine, ℔ bbl. Buckwheat Flour, $1 75@$1 87½ ℔ 100 lbs.

Fruit—Most descriptions are inactive, at about former prices. Sales, by auction: 3,420 boxes Sicily Oranges, at $2 05@$2 30; and 1,211 boxes do. Lemons, at $2@$2 05 ℔ box.

Grain—Wheat is attracting more attention, and is doing better. Sales have been reported of 13,500 bushels,—including White Canada, at $1 50@$1 55; No. 1 Chicago Spring, in store, at $1 21; and Red Long Island, for shipment to the West Indies, on terms not ascertained. Corn has been tightly dealt in, including Yellow Jersey and Southern, at 79c.@ 81c. ℔ bushel. Rye has been purchased to the extent of 2 000 bushels, at 85c.@87c. ℔ bushel. Barley is salable and buoyant. The reported transactions include 13.500 bushels, part State, at 81c., but chiefly Canada East on private terms. Oats are quiet, including Canada at 44c.@45c.; Western at 44c.@44½c.; State at 44½c.@45½c.; Jersey and Pennsylvania, at 41c.@43c.; Southern at 38c.@41c. ℔ bushel.

Hay—Sales: 400 bales North River, at 93c @ $1 12½ ℔ 100 lbs. The probability of an early opening of the Hudson River tends to lessen the disposition to purchase freely.

Hides—The transactions have been fair, though not particularly extensive. Prices have been sustained. Week's receipts, 44,500 hides; week's sales, 46,168 Hides, including, according to Messrs. Weibel & Weidemeyer: 1,600 Buenos Ayres, 21@24 lbs., at 25c., 6 months, usual selection; 2,000 Buenos Ayres for Europe, 23 lbs., at 23c., cash, in bond, usual selection; 2,600 Montevideo Kips, 11 lbs., at 23c., 6 months, usual selection; 1,000 Orinoco, 21 lbs., at 22½c., 6 months, in bond, usual selection; 3,000 Porto Cabello, 22 lbs., on private terms; 1,600 La Guayra 24 lbs., on private terms; 3,225 Aspinwall and San Juan, 20 lbs., at 21¾c.@22c., 6 mon hs, usual selection; 1,300 Bogota, 21 lbs., at 22c., 6 months, rejecting bad hides; 1,100 Honduras, 17 lbs., on private terms; 1,229 Matamoras, 23 lbs., at 22c., 6 months, rejecting bulls and bad; 1,214 Bahia, dry salted, 27 lbs., on private terms; 1,000 New-Orleans, 22 lbs., at 18c., 6 months, usual selection; 5,000 Texas, 23@26 lbs. at 18c.@19c., 6 months, rejecting bad hides; 200 Southern, 17 lbs., at 15c., cash, rejecting bad hides; 8 000 Penang Cow, 12 lbs, at 12½c., 6 months, rejecting sea damaged; 3,500 Wet Salted California, 50 lbs., at 12½c., 6 months, usual selection; 1,200 Western Slaughter, 65@80 lbs., at 9c.@9½c., cash, usual selection; 2,000 Western Slaughter for Europe, 60@75 lbs., at 9¾c.@9¼c., cash, usual selection; 1,400 City Slaughter, 70@80 lbs., at 9c.@9½c., cash, usual selection; 4,000 Philadelphia Association Slaughter for Europe, 75 lbs, at 10c., cash, usual selection. Stock in importers' and speculators' hands: 288,100 dry Hides; 2,000 wet salted, and 461 bales East India Hides.

Iron—Sales have been reported, here, to-day, of 150 tons Scotch Pig at $25, Board @26 10; and, in Philadelphia, during the week, of 2,000 tons Hudson Pig No. 1 at $24, 6 months; 500 tons No. 2 at $23; and 6,000 tons Glencon grey Forge at $22, 6 months, delivered there.

Lead—Has been in request at uniform prices.

Leather—The week's business in this line Messrs. H. D. Hull & Co. notice thus: "The week opened with an active inquiry for Hemlock Sole, chiefly from Eastern buyers, and with large sales the market continued buoyant. Prices are quite firm, and on some descriptions a slight advance has been realized. Good buyers, however, find little difficulty in supplying themselves at last week's rates. Receipts continue liberal, and the stock is excessive. Oak Leather is in fair request. Upper in the Rough is quiet, and prices drooping." We quote Oak Slaughter and salted, good light, 29c.@31c.; Oak Slaughter, good middle, 30c.@32c.; Oak Slaughter, good heavy, 28c.@31c.; Oak Slaughter, light Southern, 25c.@27c.; Oak Slaughter, heavy, for banding, good all weights, 30c.@32c.; Oak Slaughter, Spanish, 27c.@30c.; Oak Slaughter, Cropped, 34c.@38c.; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, &c., good light, 20c.@21c.; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, &c., good middle, 20½c.@21½c.; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, &c., good heavy, 19½c.@20½c.; Hemlock, California, good light, 19½c.@20½c.; Hemlock, California, good middle, 20c.@21c.; Hemlock, California, good heavy, 19½c.@20½c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., good light, 18¾c.@19½c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., good middle, 19¾c.@20½c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., good heavy, 18c.@19c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., and Buenos Ayres, damaged all weights, 16c.@18c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., and Buenos Ayres, poor all weights, 11c.@13c.; Hemlock, Slaughter, in rough, 23c.@25c., ℔ lb., on 6 months credit.

Molasses—Sales have been reported of 50 hhds. Porto Rico, at 32c.@41c.; and 37 hhds. Cuba Muscovado, at 30c.@32c. ℔ gallon.

Naval Stores—Resin, Tar and Crude Turpentine have been quiet. Spirits Turpentine has been in fair request, at from 47½c @49c. ℔ gallon.

Oils—Linseed is in demand, and is steady at 57c. @59c. ℔ gallon. Other descriptions are quiet, at previous figures.

Provisions—Pork has been purchased to the extent of 2,100 bbls., in lots, at $18 25@$18 37½ for New Mess, here; $18 50 for do., deliverable in April; $14 65@$14 80 for New Prime; $17 37@$17 50 for Old Mess; and $12 50 for Old Prime, ℔ bbl. Sales were likewise reported of 1,500 bbls. uninspected New Mess, deliverable at Milwaukee and Chicago, at $17 ℔ bbl., payable in this City. Cut Meats are salable and steady, including Hams at 9¼c.@9¾c., and Shoulders at 6¾c.@7¾c. ℔ lb. Bacon continues in demand, chiefly at 9¾c.@10¾c. ℔ lb. Lard steadily tends downward. Sales have been reported since our last of 1,000 tcs. and bbls., here and to arrive, chiefly at from 10¾c.@11¾c. ℔ lb. Beef is in request, at uniform rates. Sales have been made of 525 bbls., in lots, at $9 25@$10 50 for repacked Western Mess; $11 25@ $12 50 for extra Western Mess; $5 25@$5 50 for Country Mess ℔ bbl. Prime Mess, $16@$19 ℔ tc. Beef Hams, $13@$16 ℔ bbl. Butter is more inquired for, at 14c.@21c. for State, and 11c.@15c. for Ohio, ℔ lb. Cheese is in fair demand, at 10c.@13.

Rice—Sales to-day 125 tcs., in lots, at $3 74@$4 25 ℔ 100 lbs.

Seeds—Transactions have been limited here. Prices have not varied materially. In Philadelphia sales have been reported, during the week, of 4,000 bushels Clover Seed, at from $4 25 up to $5 for common to good and choice lots, mostly at $4 50@$4 75, which is a further decline, including about 1,000 bags from second hands, on private terms.

Spices—We have heard of sales of 1,000 bags Pimento, in bond, for export, at 6¾c., ℔ lb.

Sugars—Sales have been reported to-day of only 400 hhds., chiefly Cuba, at 6¼c.@7½c., with some Porto Rico at 6¾c. ℔ lb.

Tallow—Sales 15,000 pounds, part at 11¼c. ℔ lb.

Teas—The demand has been good, and prices rule quite firm.

Tobacco—Crude is in request at uniform rates. Manufactured is moderately inquired for at essentially unaltered prices. Sales in February, 17,101 pkgs., against 15,089 pkgs. same month last year. Stock March 1, 46,649 pkgs. in 1860, and 30,799 pkgs. in 1859.

Whisky—Sales have been reported to-day of 500 bbls., at 23¾c.@23¾c. ℔ gallon.

Freights—For Liverpool, there were taken 500 bales Cotton at ⅛d. ℔ lb.; 100 pkgs. Lard and 200 boxes Bacon at 30s.; 300 boxes do. and 150 pkgs. Butter, by steamer, at 35s.; and 400 boxes Cheese, also by steamer, at 40s. For Hamburg, 200 bales Cotton at ⅛c.; and 100 tons Measurement Goods at 27s. 6d. For Bremen, 150 bales Cotton at ⅛c.; and 10 tons Wood at 30s. The latest charters, according to the *Shipping List*, have been: Two or three more ships (making about fifteen in all) from Chincha Islands to Hampton Roads for orders, Guano, at $15; ship *Sarah Park*, 700 tons, from Charleston to Bremen, Cotton, 15-16c.; a vessel to Genoa, Cotton, about 1c.; bark *Alexander*, 398 tons, to Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, Lumber, $17; bark *Star King*, 427 tons, to China and back, say 18 months' voyage, at $1,300 ℔ month; brig *Monte Christo*, 161 tons, to Western Islands, $1,600, and back from Bathurst, Africa, to New-York, $800; a British ship, at St. John, N. B., (chartered there,) to Liverpool, Deals, £4; a Br. brig, 185 tons, hence to Bristol, E., Naval stores, £360; a brig, 233 tons, from Machias to Portau-Prince, lumber $11, and back to New-York, logwood, $4 50; a schr., 175 tons, to St. Domingo and back, $1,400; one, 189 tons, to a windward Island, $850, and back from Porto Rico to New-York. Sugar 40c. and molasses $3; bark *Convoy*, 261 tons to Cardenas and back, sugar, 38c., a brig, 227 tons, and one 331 tons, to Nuevitas and back, sugar 38c., Melado, 35c., and molasses $3 50 and $3, under and on deck; a schr., 204 tons from south side Cuba to New-York, 37c. and $2 50, or if molasses only, $3 50 under and $2 50 ondeck; a brig, 200 tons, from St. Mary's river to north side Cuba, one from Machias to Porto Rico and back to New-York, and a schr. from a Southern port to north side Cuba and back to New-York, on private terms.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

The *Africa*, with Liverpool dates to the 18th ult., reached New-York on the morning of yesterday. The news is of little interest. The question of Savoyard annexation had been mooted in the House of Commons, where Lord JOHN RUSSELL had answered in terms, which only found a sensible interpretation, in a paragraph printed in the semi-official *Post* of the following morning. It was therein stated, that with the annexation of Central Italy to Piedmont it was no other than proper that Savoy and Nice should assume their geographical affinity with France; but that the French Government had expressed its willingness to refer the subject to the judgment of the Great Powers. When interrogated in regard to the proposed measure of ministerial reform, Lord JOHN RUSSELL announced that March 1 had been fixed upon for the introduction of the bill. He had also responded obscurely to an inquiry touching American coastwise navigation, as affecting the transhipment of goods at Panama. Sir WILLIAM NAPIER, the historian, was buried with unusual honors on the 17th ult. The news from the Continent embraces nothing more important than the circular reply of the French Foreign Minister, M. DE THOUVENEL, to the encyclical letter of the Pope. This paper reviews with excellent skill the various defects in the Papal administration, and indicates their tendency to impair the spiritual authority and efficacy of the head of the Church; and shows that while it might have been possible, when his Holiness was first advised to mitigate his rule in the Romagna, to have saved that portion of his States, it is now too late to do so. The reply, as well as a second document of similar purport, transmitted directly to Rome, has won great applause for the new Secretary. There is nothing of moment from the seat of war in Morocco. Italy remains tranquil, awaiting the result of the election in the central provinces. Rumors to the effect that a note of M. DE THOUVENEL had been sent to Vienna, urging upon that Government the fulfillment of its engagements in reference to ameliorations to be introduced into the administration of Venetia, were circulated.

Additional reports in relation to the *Hungarian*, furnish further names of those either known or presumed to have been on board, and of course to have perished with the hapless vessel. Capt. SHANNON, of the *Africa*, states that the passengers numbered about one hundred and forty. This number, added to that of the crew, gives as the sum of the lost two hundred and fourteen. From the agents of the Company at Cape Sable no particulars of interest are received. Messrs. EDMONSTONE, ALLAN & Co., the owners of the line, publish in a Canada paper a vindication of Capt. JONES, who commanded the *Hungarian*, from unjust charges brought by an anonymous writer against his memory. They declare him to have been a man of rare judgment in nautical matters; intrepid, but cautious; careful in observations and calculations; of abstemious habits, and a strict disciplinarian.

The Overland Mail brings news from California to the evening of Feb. 11. The Pacific Railroad Convention had been in session at Sacramento since the 6th—delegates from California, Oregon and Washington Territory participating in its deliberations. Memorials to Congress, and Legislative action in the two States represented, were decided upon. A proposition for California to build a road as far as her eastern frontier met with disfavor. An act to establish in New-York an agency to protect emigrants from ticket-swindlers, had passed the Legislature. The mining interest was never so excited. New silver, quicksilver and gold mines are reported from all quarters; and with the opening of Spring an immense immigration is anticipated. Trade at San Francisco was dull, the market having been flooded by a number of arrivals from the Atlantic with heavy consignments of goods.

Dates from the Sandwich Islands are to Jan. 24. Mr. NEILSON, the Royal Secretary, was thought to be dying from the wounds received at the hands of the King.

The State Senate did nothing of importance on Saturday beyond passing the Hell Gate Pilot bill, after having concurred in the amendment made to it by the Assembly. In the Assembly the majority of the Committee of Ways and means reported the bill tolling all railroads in the State which competed with the Canals, and the subject was made the special order for Wednesday next. Among the bills reported favorably was one authorizing the laying of a double track on the Brooklyn and Jamaica Railroad. The bill to repeal the law exempting clergymen from taxation was reported adversely. Bills to impose double wharfage upon all vessels occupying piers and slips against the will of their proprietors; to prevent the issue of free passes to State officers; and to legalize the ordinances of the Common Council of this City relative to sunken lots, were introduced. A communication was received from Gov. MORGAN objecting to the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds in France under the Law of 1858.

The Mayor and Comptroller appeared before the Alderman's Committee on Street Cleaning, last Saturday afternoon, and made some interesting statements with regard to the cost of such work, the manner in which it has been conducted hitherto, and the measures to be taken hereafter. The Committee will visit the City Inspector at his residence to-morrow; he was too unwell to be present at the meeting on Saturday.

The new Tompkins Market, on Third-avenue, corner of Sixth and Seventh-streets, will be finished in June, and will afford accommodations for drilling the Seventh Regiment *en masse*. It is not generally known that there is now in existence a contract for building a new Washington Market, and that a judgment has been obtained against the City for drawing the plans, and for stopping the work of erection.

The February term of the Court of General Sessions closed on the 25th day of that month, but an extra term of one week held by the Recorder, for the purpose of relieving the City Prison of its crowd of inmates, which expired on Saturday, when a few sentences for minor offences were passed on prisoners who had been remanded. This is the first time in the history of the Sessions that the Court has taken no recess. To-day the March term commences, with a reduced Calendar, but still with one sufficiently large. The number of cases to be tried is 95—of which 6 are for murder, 20 for burglary, 30 for grand larceny, 15 for forgery, 5 for felonious assault and battery, 3 for highway robbery, and the rest for minor offences.

The Stock market continued generally firm and active on Saturday, and closed steady in prices though a fraction less strong than the top sales of the day. No alteration in Money or Exchange rates.

Cotton was somewhat brisker, yet not firmer. Flour was freely purchased at advanced prices. Wheat was in more request, and was quoted a shade higher. Barley was in good demand, at buoyant rates. Other kinds of Grain were quiet, as were likewise Groceries, Hay, Hops, Seeds and Fish. Iron, Lead, Linseed Oil, Tallow, Spirits Turpentine, Provisions and Whisky, were inquired for. Other branches of business exhibited no important changes. There were 376 vessels of all classes in port.

The Crisis in Hungary.

Both France and England have formally and fully recognized the right of every people to such a Government as they may choose—free from the coercion or intervention of foreign Powers. France gives the principle the widest possible application, and brings Savoy within its scope; England limits it to the case of a people in successful insurrection.

Whichever interpretation of the general rule may be finally adopted, Hungary will be embraced by it, and has claims upon both France and England for its application to her case, which even Italy cannot successfully urge. The Hungarians are to a man opposed to Austrian rule. If the popular vote were taken on the subject to-morrow, it is well known that it would be unanimous against any further connection with that Power, and this is all France calls for as a basis of national independence. England's requirements are met, if possible, still more fully. Hungary is not only utterly opposed to the rule of her present masters, but she has been in successful insurrection within ten years, and was only subjugated by the intervention of a third Power. Central Italy has not done as much as this. The Duchies would to-day be under the heel of Austrian minions if the French army had not entered Italy, while the Hungarians, in 1848, not only achieved their independence unaided, but maintained it until overwhelmed by the Russian occupation.

Here is a case which, as far as England is concerned at least, is in one essential particular much stronger than that of Italy; and the antecedents of the Hungarians prior to 1848 give them still further claims to an early hearing at the bar of a European Congress. The events of that year entitle them to self-government. Their history during the six hundred years previous proves conclusively that they are not only entitled to it, but know how to exercise it. If the privilege of managing their own affairs were accorded to them to-morrow, nobody would consider it, as so many considered it in the case of the Italians, a perilous and doubtful experiment. The world has been more or less surprised by seeing the administration of the Duchies and the Romagna go on more smoothly and tranquilly in the hands of the elect of the people than in that of Austrian Courts-martial. In spite of the strong and general sympathy with Italian wrongs, there were few of us who did not view with some apprehension the committal of Italian affairs to Italian hands in Tuscany, Parma, Modena and the Legations, during the early part of the present crisis. We did not for a moment doubt their right to be free, but we doubted their possession of the wisdom, valor and moderation which alone can make freedom a blessing. We could not help remembering that the force of character which built up the Roman Empire had apparently expired with the fabric which it had created, and that if the modern Italian republics were rich, and prosperous and free, it was proved, by many a sad episode in a glorious tale, that they owed most of their greatness and their wealth to the forbearance of races of less culture and taste, and of far greater courage and energy; and what was more disheartening—that their military annals were a long record of intestine strife.

Hungary, on the contrary, would, if Europe gave her back her independence to-morrow, seize her own sceptre with the same nervous and martial hand which for a thousand years gave her the rank of a great Power, and made her for two hundred years, at least, the bulwark of the West against the assaults of the Turks. And no one doubts that she would, after ten years of vassalage, bring once more to the administration of her own affairs the same wisdom, respect for the forms of law, and for individual rights, and for established precedents, which made her, until her downfall in 1849, the only country in Continental Europe which upheld with faith and skill a really constitutional government.

Beside all this, the Hungarians are to-day the most martial race of Eastern Europe. They have long supplied to the Austrian armies the best cavalry in the world, and an infantry which might charge with a French column, or stand in line with British grenadiers, and not suffer by comparison with either. And they have that which is after all one of the first guarantees for the final triumph of the national cause—the consciousness of superiority, both in the field and in the forum, to the men who oppress them. The Hungarian gentleman or peasant looks down with as much contempt upon the German soldier who stands over him, as the German upon the Venetian or Lombard.

To all these claims upon the sympathy and confidence of the two great Powers which now hold the destinies of Europe in the hollow of their hand, Austria, with her usual discretion, has contrived to add one more, by lighting up the fires of religious persecution. The vast majority of the Hungarians are Protestants, and their faith has received a political consecration in their eyes by its association with some of the most glorious traditions in their history. Austria, on the contrary, is not simply Catholic, but stupidly, bigotedly, oppressively Catholic; and in order to draw closer her relations with the Court of Rome, has placed the worship and education of the Magyars under the thumb of an intolerant priesthood. The discontent which has long existed, the recent events in Italy, and the gradual decline of the Austrian Empire, have ripened into exasperation. A deputation of Hungarian Protestant nobles, lately seeking redress at Vienna, were insulted grossly by Count RECHBERG, and the Emperor is said to have openly threatened them with the gibbet. The result is that a crisis has arisen such as never occurred before. The present agitation differs from that of 1849, in the strong infusion of the religious element which it contains. The sectarian, as well as the patriotic feelings of the country, are now enlisted against Austria, and the leaders of the Liberal party are evidently desirous of forcing her into overt acts of violence. The recent events in Italy have intensely excited all classes of the community in Hungary, while they have had a serious effect both upon the *morale* of the army and the means of maintaining it; and the evident reluctance of the Government at Vienna to proclaim martial law, betrays a want of confidence in the result which of course stimulates still further both the hopes and passions of the malcontents.

Our old friend KOSSUTH has disappeared from his accustomed haunts, and will probably ere long rise to the surface amid the boisterous waves of a renewed conflict with his ancient foes. Everything presages the reopening in the Spring of another trial of force between the House of Hapsburg and the Magyars; and the political condition of Europe is happily so much changed since they were last in the field, that we may reasonably look for a different result from that which, in 1849, consigned Hungary to twelve years of misery and degradation.

Our Police Troubles.

The *Tribune* is quite as explicit on the subject of our Police difficulties as we could expect. It gives us to understand very distinctly that, in the controversy which Mayor WOOD has excited with the Superintendent, Mr. PILSBURY is to go overboard. It has discovered that the difference between them is upon "a matter of punctilio rather than of real importance,"—though it involves the authority of the Superintendent to command the force for whose conduct he is held responsible. It has made the discovery, also, that Mr. PILSBURY is not, after all, indispensable to the place,—that in many respects he is not very well fitted for it, though it "does not mean to condemn the Commissioners for appointing him." This is prudent,—inasmuch as the *Tribune* was in ecstasies with his appointment when it was made.

The *Tribune* concedes that Mr. PILSBURY is "a man of great energy, great force of will and thorough honesty,"—that "under his administration the Police has been improved in character and efficiency, and that it would be to the public advantage that he should remain in the place." One would suppose that these reasons would decide a public journalist, animated by a regard for the public good—careful of the peace, good order and prosperity of the City, and solicitous for improving and perfecting the Police—to advocate his retention,—especially if he is to be driven out of the department upon a mere matter of "punctilio." But the *Tribune* regards these matters as the merest trifles. They are not to weigh for a moment in the scale against other considerations.

One of these reasons for rejoicing at Mr. PILSBURY'S "retirement," the *Tribune* has discovered in a quarter to which it never goes for information except under some serious stress. It digs up from the files of the *Herald* a statement that Mr. PILSBURY is drawing a salary, in addition to his pay as Superintendent of the Police, as Superintendent at Ward's Island, and also as Superintendent of the Albany Penitentiary. This charge, if not true, says the *Tribune*, "ought to have been contradicted when it first appeared" in the *Herald*. How long is it since the *Tribune* attached so much importance to the *Herald's* reckless and indiscriminate slanders? Was it equally deferential to the veracity of that sheet when it charged Mr. WEED with being engaged in the Slave-trade,—Mr. SEWARD with being partner in a liquor store, and Mr. GREELEY with having received and pocketed a thousand-dollar bribe for supporting some measure pending in Congress? Did the *Tribune* insist then that each of these parties should contradict these assertions of the *Herald*, "if they were not true?"

Besides, why, if the *Tribune* believed these charges to be true when they were first made, did it not *then* demand that Mr. PILSBURY should be removed from office? Was the offence less heinous before Mayor WOOD came upon the scene, than after? Did *his* demand for control over the Police give fresh criminality to Mr. PILSBURY'S previous acts? Or is the *Tribune* now merely pretending to disapprove of them, when its real motive is to sustain Mayor WOOD, and to remove a public officer who proves to be slow in surrendering the public interest to the promotion of his schemes of party and of personal ambition?

The public understand this matter much more thoroughly than the *Tribune* supposes. They are not to be hoodwinked or humbugged by any such paltry pretexts as that journal offers, by way of screening the action of the majority of the Police Commissioners. The question at issue is not a matter of mere "punctilio,"—unless the right of a general to command his army is one also. It touches the discipline and efficiency of the force. The Superintendent has more than once dismissed men for misconduct,—for violation of orders, and for neglect of duty:—the Commissioners have reinstated them, and even promoted them, without the slightest regard to his authority or the facts of the case. They assign men to special duties for which the Superintendent knows they are not fit, and then hold him responsible for the performance of their duties. No man in his senses can fail to perceive the utter impossibility of having a decent Police force under such a system as this. The *Tribune* is quite certain that "there is in this great City some other man besides Mr. PILSBURY" who can discharge the duties of this place—and says plainly enough that unless "he concludes to abandon his point of honor," he will be allowed to retire. There is not the slightest doubt that plenty of men can be found who will waive all thought of honor, all regard for the public service and the efficiency of the Police, and assent to the *Tribune's* basis of public conduct in this position. But we should need some better evidence of the fitness of any such man for the place than his subserviency to Mayor WOOD and those Republicans—on the Board or in the *Tribune* Office—who are playing into his hands and gambling with the public welfare for the party interests which are staked on the Charleston Convention.

The fact is, this is simply a continuance of the game which divided the vote of WOOD'S opponents, and secured his election. The *Tribune* was the leading organ in that conspiracy of unscrupulous partisanship, and it is perfectly natural and proper that it should be the apologist and the champion of whatever measures may be necessary for its consummation. We are not surprised that Mr. STILLMAN should have deserted his seat rather than vote directly for so gross an outrage upon public right, and so flagrant a sacrifice of public interests to party ends, as was perpetrated by the motion to strip the Police Superintendent of all authority over his own department. His absence, however, was just as effective as his assent,—and was equivalent to a vote in favor of the measure. It is natural, perhaps, for a man inexperienced in such things to suppose that he evades responsibility by shirking a direct vote,—but this is a mistake. If Mr. STILLMAN has made up his mind to surrender the Police Department into the hands of political partisans, and to ignore the interests of the City in his devotion to party, he may as well do it openly as by indirection. His infidelity to a high public trust will be no more conspicuous.

A Rising Storm in Mexico.

The raid of CORTINAS upon Brownsville, Texas, has at last, by careful nursing, assumed formidable proportions, and the depredations of a band of Texan and Mexican outlaws are made the immediate occasion for the demand of a million of money and the raising of Texas regiments of volunteers with which to repel Mexican invasion. Absurd and startling as this story may appear, it is unhappily true. The active spirit of fillibusterism, and the extreme element in the South which is unresting in its schemes for the extension of the slave power on the one hand, with the apathy, ignorance and partisan passion of the North on the other, are surely and steadily driving the Government into a new Mexican war.

The Texas Indian troubles are bad enough, but they are magnified at the present moment for ulterior purposes. The contemptible Cortinas raid, which might have been crushed long ago, is totally misrepresented as to its inception, progress and present character. It is untrue that the main body of Mexican citizens residing on the southern side of the Rio Grande have aided and abetted CORTINAS. They have everything to lose and nothing to gain by such a course. There are desperate characters on both sides of the river who rejoice in border warfare; and in every settlement of any size in Mexico, even in the Northern Liberal States, there are traitors to the Liberal cause, and all such are doubtless giving countenance to CORTINAS, and doing all in their power to provoke hostilities between the two countries. But there is nothing in all this upon which to raise the cry of war, or to arouse a spirit of hostility to Mexico.

Gen. SAM. HOUSTON favors the present course of affairs, because he believes it will carry out his cherished idea of a Mexican Protectorate. The General we believe to be sincerely desirous of maintaining the Union, and there are others doubtless who are more wedded to the extension of Slavery. But there is a deeper and a more dangerous scheme behind all this than Gen. SAM. HOUSTON'S. Senator WIGFALL, the General's most bitter political opponent, is now found giving shape and force to the documents from the Texas Governor. That Senator asks for more than a million of money to be thrown into Texas, and that volunteer regiments may be raised to defend the State from Indians and Mexicans. The regiments once raised would soon be on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, and in occupation of some of the principal points of the States of Tamaulipas and Nuevo Leon; and out of such occupation would arise issues between the North and South, the decision of which would plunge the country into a still more perilous agitation. The fillibustering process would speedily spread over Coahuilo, Chihuahua and Sonora, and we should have a renewed war with Mexico, fresh acquisitions of territory, and the sectional controversy which naturally follows in its train.

In speaking of Mexico and our relations with that country, the TIMES has for nearly two years remarked upon the magnitude of the subject, and it has never ceased to warn the nation against precisely those gigantic evils which are now looming up before us. When, however, a treaty was at last negotiated—a treaty that shields us from those threatened evils, and is so clear in its benefits to both nations that he who runs may read and understand, we thought the danger passed. But now, when we see the ratification of this treaty opposed at once by such interests as those represented by Senators WIGFALL and HAMMOND of the South, and by prominent journals of the North, claiming to represent the Republican Party,—when we see the great North, as if spell-bound, drifting side by side with the Southern disunion element, silently and swiftly into the worst perils that can come upon us from that quarter, we cannot understand the indifference and apathy of the public mind.

Fine Feathers for a Fine Bird.

The Sergeant-at-Arms of the New-York Assembly, by virtue of his office, is at least as solemn and important a person as any beadle in all England. Whoever doubts this proposition must have been corrupted, like those wicked old Whigs in the Bank times, with British gold. And it is a crying shame, therefore, that while the meanest parish officer, who terrifies small boys and raps the pates of sleepy paupers in the most insignificant hamlet of Britain, is arrayed more gorgeously than Solomon in all his glory, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the New-York Assembly should go walking about the dignified aisles of the Legislative chamber like a mere member, or governor, or judge, in the black satin waistcoat and kerseymere trowsers of a vulgar civilization. He is not even as fair to see as any average militia sergeant; and his "arms" are the merest myth. In short, he no more resembles the splendid Sergeant-at-Arms whom our imperial State demands, than Queen VICTORIA, in her silk dress and French bonnet, resembles the sublime sovereigns depicted in our childhood's story-books, wearing crowns of gold forever on their heads, even when engaged in the comparatively human amusement of "eating bread and honey" in the royal kitchen. All these things one of our sage legislators, Mr. TUCKER, possibly a remote kinsman of the celebrated Thomas, who "cried for his supper," has gravely pondered; and much revolving them in his swift mind, finally brought forth on Friday last a motion to "purchase a sword, chapeau and belt for the Sergeant-at-Arms, and to require that officer to wear the same while the House is in session."

The House rose to the glittering motion at once, like trout to a fleck of silver light. Mr. MILLER approved, but remembering mercy in the midst of justice, suggested that the Sergeant be required to wear his superb but cumbrous insignia only when "making arrests or when under a call of the House."

Mr. MCQUADE also approved, but thought that the compliment of *capa y espada*, cloak and sword, should be paid to the Committees of the Senate and the Private Secretary of the Governor. Majestic visions dawned on the spirit of MCQUADE, of the plumed hat, the clanking sword, the shining belt, preceding a message from the honorable the Senate—on the subject, for instance, of protection to partridges. Clearly the Sergeant's finery must not be kept for the Assembly only. Mr. LAW thought so too, but he had a word to say for the Sergeant. Our Sergeant, said Mr. LAW, with delicate appreciation, "is the best officer ever possessed by any legislative body." If he can't be trusted to "get himself up," at the proper time and place, 'twere pity of his life. Mr. LAW took the House with him. Only Mr. FLAGLER, conceding the Sergeant's control as to "getting himself up" could not think of his doing so "without regard to expense." In point of fact, said FLAGLER, the Sergeant has a sword already of his own, and as we don't wish him to adopt the Japanese fashion, and wear *two* swords, why foolishly waste our money on buying him a superfluous weapon? Let us make him magnificent, but at a moderate investment. "I move," said FLAGLER, "to strike out all but the sash." The ancient Romans went bareheaded and made a fine appearance without chapeaux,—why not a modern son of Empire? Mr. DICKINSON admitted the wisdom of FLAGLER, but had one provision to propose. Let the "sash and belt be of red silk." DICKINSON was right. Scarlet is a very telling color, resembling, as we all of us have learned from the blind man of tradition, "the sound of a trumpet." A red sash about the Sergeant's manly waist would have gone before his coming like the clarions of SENNACHERIB. The Assembly, however, like a turkey-cock or a parish bull, took fire at the very thought of a scarlet-sashed Sergeant. The color has such dreadful associations—GEORGE III., taxation and tyranny, the Pope of Rome, the abominable lady of the Apocalypse! They hastily voted DICKINSON down:—a sash the Sergeant may have, but not of scarlet. Let us suggest, timidly, a tender and innocent pea-green, or a candid white. The sash adopted, Mr. STILSON came back to the question of hats, and was, no doubt, on the point of demonstrating the propriety of a laced chapeau, when the well-informed MCQUADE arose in his place, and said, "I am authorized by one of the reporters to say that he has a chapeau which he will lend the Sergeant whenever he may require it!" There was no resisting this. Glory and economy combined to settle the business. STILSON sat down; the amendment of Mr. FLAGLER was adopted; and the Sergeant was voted a sash and belt. The State, like some lady of old in the brave, chivalric days, will gird the Sergeant's sword—his private sword—upon the Sergeant's thigh. Then he will borrow that opulent military reporter's chapeau,—and New-York will have her public beadle, as beautiful as any of his British compeers, and—so much less expensive! How can we ever be sufficiently grateful to TUCKER and MCQUADE, to FLAGLER and to LAW?

The Central Park in the Assembly.

We trust that we shall not be charged with cherishing an extravagant ideal of the New-York legislator, when we avow the belief that a person who undertakes to interfere with a great public work on the ground that he has in his possession charges against its actual managers, which he does not venture to produce, is absolutely unfit for his place.

It is hardly fair for a worthy housewife to quarrel with her newly-imported cook for failing to combine the skill of Ude with the moral excellencies of St. Elizabeth of Hungary, since no rational being should expect to command genius and all the cardinal virtues for a dollar and a half per week. And in the present condition of American public life, a certain recklessness of assertion and vagueness in the sense of responsibility may very well be overlooked in an average member of a State Legislature. But there are some things which the people even of New-York have a right to insist that their representatives shall be incapable of doing; and one of these things assuredly is the adoption of personal imputations as a vehicle of legislative action, on the strength of general charges advanced, but not assumed, by the individual who thinks fit to use them. The recent attempt of a few members at Albany, headed by Mr. CONKLING, to arrest the progress of the Central Park, and to wrest the control of that noble public work from the officers by whom it has up to this time been conducted, has developed a case of this specific kind of legislative incompetency too flagrant to be passed over without the severest reprobation.

The Legislature, as our readers will remember, in the beginning of February called upon the Park Commissioners to present a report of their past action and their prospective wants. This report was drawn up at once and presented within a week. It was as full and clear and satisfactory as a report could be, and the Assembly proceeded to act at once upon the demands of the Commissioners. A bill giving them the means necessary for pushing on their work had reached its third reading, when it was met by Mr. CONKLING with a proposition for further inquiry into the merits of the case. This proposition was offered ostensibly in the interest of public economy; but it was put in a form which revealed something singularly like a determination not merely to delay the public service in the construction of the Park, but also to blacken the character of the gentlemen composing the Commission,—the only specific ground offered for interfering with the actual management of the Park being a letter which was read by Mr. CONKLING, as from Mr. DILLON, of this City, charging the Commission with malversation in office. Now, as Mr. DILLON was once himself a Commissioner upon the Park, and as he is understood to have resigned his seat in consequence of disagreements with his fellow-Commissioners, Mr. CONKLING must have known that he was exposing Mr. DILLON to very serious imputations, by foisting upon him this indirect responsibility for insinuations which can only cease to be slanderous and disgraceful in the extreme by being converted into open and specific statements. And it was therefore to be expected that when the matter was forced to an issue, Mr. CONKLING would be found prepared to produce his original, Mr. DILLON, before the Assembly, armed with direct assertions, not with covert and sweeping imputations upon the character of a body of gentlemen made up from various political parties, esteemed in public and in private life, and honored with the special confidence of this community for their conduct in the discharge of their duties as Commissioners of the Park.

This Mr. CONKLING failed utterly to do. On Friday Mr. A. SMITH moved that the bill for the Central Park be taken from the table and put upon its final passage. This motion was supported by Mr. ARCULARIUS and Mr. JAQUES; and was, of course, opposed by Mr. CONKLING, in the following extraordinary fashion. He "disclaimed all intention of attacking the character of the Commissioners, but he had in his drawer very grave charges against some of them." He had also read an article in the New-York *Leader*, from which he inferred that "a storm was brewing over the heads of the Commission, which would destroy them and the enterprise." These dignified and manly statements produced an immediate effect upon the House. Mr. JAQUES very properly stigmatized them as a direct "retailing of slander," and the Assembly, proceeding to a vote, rejected Mr. CONKLING'S resolution of inquiry by a vote of 50 to 34, and passed the bill providing for the continuance and completion of the Park by a vote of 68 to 18. So far, then, as this great public interest is in itself concerned, the Assembly has disposed of Mr. CONKLING, and summarily done its duty. But the community has a further duty of its own to discharge in setting the brand of its reprobation at once upon the conduct of a legislator, who professes in one and the same breath that he has grave charges to make against a body of public functionaries, and that he does not intend to make them. If Mr. CONKLING really had any such charges in his possession, he was guilty of a great wrong against the public in withholding them. If they existed, as was probably the case, simply in the shape of petulant aspersions, thrown out in his own private correspondence with irresponsible third parties, his behavior characterizes itself, and needs no epithets of ours to point out its true quality.

If New-York has any "storms" a-brewing, the sooner they burst over legislators who venture to trifle in this way with the trust committed to them, the better it will be not only for the Central Park, but for the whole conduct of our public affairs.

The Street Cleaning Business.

So we are *not* to have the streets cleaned after all. Mr. SMITH, the man of machines, retires from the unequal contest. The City Inspector hired him to do the work,—Mayor WOOD promised to countersign his warrants, if the work was well done, and Comptroller HAWS promised to pay him the money on the same condition. He went vigorously at his Herculean task,—and a broad smile of satisfaction and of hope passed over the public face at the prospect of having clean streets for a year.

The Common Council has put a damper upon all these glowing anticipations. They directed their Clerk *not* to sign Mr. SMITH'S warrants. They discovered that the Charter had been violated, and that is an offence which they never overlook,—when it is perpetrated by any body else. They reserve the luxury of breaking that instrument exclusively for themselves. Moreover, "somebody" interfered with Mr. SMITH'S arrangements. They enticed away his men—scattered among them rumors that they would never get their pay—coerced them into quitting work, and finally produced a general strike. Under these accumulated difficulties, Mr. SMITH succumbed. He was compelled to abandon the job. The City Inspector commends the spirit, energy and fidelity with which Mr. SMITH has endeavored to serve the public and fulfill his contract, and yields sorrowfully to the necessity which compels him to abandon the work.

So we stand. But we beg to inform the members of the Common Council that we cannot afford to stand thus much longer. They have, by their summary action in this matter, assumed a responsibility which they must meet. They have vetoed the only practical, vigorous and hopeful movement that has been made for a long time towards giving us clean streets. They have asserted their control over this matter so distinctly and emphatically that everybody understands it. The community now looks *to them* for what they will not permit others to furnish. They must give us clean streets themselves.

The City Inspector apparently has power to make a contract for this business,—under the supervision of the Common Council. Let him do so at once, in strict conformity with the Charter,—and then submit it, if required so to do, to the Common Council for its approval. There seems no reason to doubt that the City can be cleaned and kept clean for $300,000 per annum. It cost over $400,000 to keep it dirty last year;—but this was because the money was wasted,—scattered recklessly for political purposes among men who only pretended to do the work. It is not the amount of money expended which the people regret, half as much as the fact that they have nothing to show for it. If our City Government would give us clean streets, absolutely and permanently, we believe the people would willingly assent to their expending half a million of dollars for it. But to lavish enormous sums without any results, naturally tries the public patience and excites universal disaffection.

As they have this matter in hand, we trust the members of the Common Council will push it through. Let them give us promptly *some* plan for cleaning the City. Its present condition is disgracefully and dangerously filthy,—the warm weather is rapidly coming on, and the public health will suffer seriously unless immediate measures are taken to avert the danger.

A LITTLE TOO STRONG.—Our modest neighbor, the *Tribune*, has been for a long time in the habit of giving variety and interest to its columns by paragraphs and clippings from our Paris, London and Washington correspondence—duly displayed as original. This is all quite endurable, as the value it gives the *Tribune* far outweighs any injury it may do us. On Friday morning, however, we published a two-column letter from one of our correspondents on the coast of Africa, full of important revelations concerning the slave trade. On *Saturday* morning the *Tribune* publishes precisely the same letter, *verbatim*, following all our italic marks, &c., and coolly heads it "*From our own Correspondent!*" This seems to us a little strong—but as it is mainly a matter of taste, we have nothing to say against it. We only hope our neighbor will do it as rarely as convenient.

SENATORS SEWARD AND DOUGLAS.—We shall endeavor to publish, probably to-morrow morning, the speech of Judge DOUGLAS in reply to Gov. SEWARD'S exposition of the principles and views of the Republican Party, which we published at length on Thursday of last week. We gave on the same day, from our own reporters, a full telegraphic abstract of this reply,—but as the two Senators seem to be regarded by their friends as having represented the two political parties on that occasion, it is only just and fair to present the speeches of both in full. Our readers can then have an oppertunity of judging for themselves between the two.

MR. SEWARD'S SPEECH.—The publishers of the *New-Yorker Demokrat* have translated Mr. SEWARD'S speech into German, and issued it in a very neat pamphlet of eight pages as a Supplement to their paper.

A Missing Man Probably a Runaway.

THE CASE OF MR. S. D. NORTHWAY OF CONNECTICUT.

A few days since we copied from a New-Haven paper an account of the mysterious disappearance of one SAMUEL D. NORTHWAY, of Litchfield, Conn., who came to this City, put up at the Metropolitan Hotel, went out one evening, and has not since been heard of. It now appears that he has probably disappeared voluntarily. The Litchfield *Enquirer* says:

"It is reported he obtained $5,000 at the Iron Bank of Falls Village just before he left home, securing it by leaving good collaterals of his own, and took the money with him. He is a very large indorser of the Leather Company which he managed, and the paper is held by several banks. The Company possess a very valuable property in South Norfolk, and claim to be entirely solvent. By the sworn statement of July last, the assets of the Company were $25,000 more than their liabilities. It is supposed Mr. NORTHWAY had about $7,000 in money with him at the time of his disappearance."

The Waterbury *American* gives further particulars in regard to Mr. NORTHWAY'S late movements:

"That the design of Mr. NORTHWAY was premeditated there is no room for question, though his wife and family were entirely ignorant of his intentions up to the last hour he took leave of them. What were the real or fancied grievances of Mr. NORTHWAY, that have tended to unhinge his mind, or what inexplicable hallucination took possession of his usual judgment, thus suddenly to reverse the tenor of an honorable and straightforward policy, sanctioned by the unswerving practice of his whole previous life—must be left to conjecture.

...Music came to a ... when the last Patti ... from pit to dome. The per... not at all what was announced—... Cassou and Bohrer are ... principal stars. "Ernani" ... will probably stay deliciously in all not ... The company opens to-night in Philadelphia, and will not probably return to the City until ...

The lovers of classical music were regaled on ... evening with an excellent entertainment at ... Messrs. Mason, Mason and Thomas, ... have purveyed exclusively to ... for the past few years. It is well that they have ... the composition—com... that evening, a fresh series of chamber ... as our readers are aware, those ... have been given in the morning; dur... second, they are to take place in the ... which will be satis... to many large ones who hereto... to attend them. The ... selected with a posthu... —a quartette in G major ... excellently played by Messrs. ... Mason and Thomas—who, as ... the quartette—but was heavy ... and from the incessant repe... of every phrase that seemed to the composer to ... the effective ingenuity of construction. Beethoven, in his instrumental compositions, never knew ... to leave off; he would never resist the temptation of having a pet passage played over and over again in every available key. This weakness is so well known that it is customary now to leave out all them. Messrs. Mason and Thomas, being conscientious, however, gave the work entire.

There are several easily detached melodies in the work which are memorable, but as a whole it is not eminently characteristic of the composer—the *scherzo* being the only movement that can be called fresh.

After the quartette, Mr. Wm. Mason played a very delicious *morceau* by Chopin, called a *Ballade*, but why so called we cannot divine. It is filled with melodies, and is a piece of strong effects,—not a simple and unintentional musical narrative, as a *Ballade* should be. For the reason that it contains many ideas, it is necessarily fragmentary and discursive. Mr. Mason collected the author's meaning with fine foresight and feeling, and the performance was consequently excellent.

Sanderson's trio in B Major—played by the same artist the season before last—brought the concert to a successful termination. We have never heard the magnificent fugue at the end of this fine composition rendered with greater effect than on this occasion.

Signor Brignoli, whose merits as an artist are now fully recognized by the public, was the vocalist of the occasion, singing his own song of the "Tear," and Gounod's song of the "Faded Flowers." Both pieces were rapturously encored. It is a treat to hear so fine an artist in such pieces.

The public should support these admirable entertainments. They are gotten up in the best possible manner, and supply a positive musical want.

We understand that Madame OMAR PASHA intends to give a morning musical entertainment ere long, which we trust will attract the attention of amateurs. We mentioned the arrival of this lady some months since, and the circumstances which had induced her to leave to this country. She is, we believe, a Transylvanian by birth, and married the distinguished Turkish General when quite young. She was either with him or in constant correspondence with him during the Crimean war, and only left him when his Turkish notions of domestic life came in conflict, not only with her sense of womanly self-respect, but with her Christian principles. She went to England with the lady of the English Ambassador, and afterwards spent some time in Paris, where her admirable musical talent and her refined character gained many accomplishments made for her a large circle of appreciating friends. She is a most amiable and excellent person, and eminently worthy of countenance and support in the rather embarrassing position in which she is placed. We do not know that any special arrangements for her concert have yet been ... but we think there will be activity at many ... Broadway theatres. Mr. SPRAGUE ... night a new version of "Ivanhoe," with ... wonderfully comic cast. At LAURA KEENE'S ... Donna" will be withdrawn as rapidly as a ... piece can be prepared,—and it is understood ... BOUCICAULT has one almost in readiness. ... strongest piece of the season thus far has been ... Romance of a Poor Young Man," which still ... numerous houses, and seems destined to last ... month. It is in every sense a good piece, and ... highly deserving of its success. To-night, Mr. ... Mrs. BARNEY WILLIAMS commence an engage... at NIBLO'S—the Circus having after a most bril... season, retired to Rest.

... Menagerie com... at Palace Garden. It is ... collection, and will repay a visit.

At the French Theatre they have given the "Romance of a Poor Young Man" three times, and on each occasion to delighted audiences; also the people's drama of "Marie Jeanne"—a very powerful and touching piece, played here a short time ago with unequivocal success. The mere fashion of going to the French Theatre seems to have died out as rapidly as it came in. Those who now frequent that cozy little establishment do so for the real pleasure they derive from the performances. The manager, we fear, is not hugely remunerated, but the subscription enables him, at all events, to keep together a good company, and, consequently, to present an endless succession of novelties. He is, in point of fact, compelled to do so, for his audience being the same every night, naturally wearies of repetition, and craves a variety. The most curious thing about the French Theatre is that French people do not go there.

This reproach cannot be urged against the Germans of the German Stadt Theatre in the Bowery, where everything, from the playbill to the lager bier, (served in the dress-circle,) is uncompromisingly Teutonic. There is a manly spirit of self-reliance about this establishment which entitles it to respect. It asks nothing from an American public, and gets nothing, but year after year pursues a steady course of unremitting industry, bringing out new pieces with great rapidity, and in a way which compares favorably with the best Broadway establishments. The latest success has been a drama, called, "Die Maschinenbauer, oder Arbeit macht das Leben süss"—("The Machinist; or, Labor Sweetens Life")—the work of a local author, if we are not mistaken. The story is partly American, and derives all its interest from the liberal ideas inculcated by a citizen of this country, who, returning to Berlin, astonishes every one by first falling in love with a factory girl, then by speaking six distinct words of English, and, finally, by treating every one to his perfect, equal—all of which, it will be perceived, are traits of an eminently national character. The plot is the weakest part of the piece. The dialogue is good, frequently sparkling, and never tedious. Mr. HOCH plays the hero with a good deal of *sang froid*, and makes him as phlegmatic as an Englishman, which of course we regard as a mistake. Mr. KLEIN, the low comedian of the establishment, is particularly funny, and dresses his part with a clear idea to characterization. The piece in other respects is well acted, and excellently put upon the stage. The first scene—depicting a machinist's shop—is one of the best things of the kind we have ever seen. Our readers who visit the east side of the City should not neglect the Stadt Theatre. They will there see plays well acted and well put upon the stage. What is more, they will hear incidental music sung and played as if it had something to do with the piece, and was not altogether a superfluous infliction. Strange as it may seem the audiences applaud these things. To-night a new piece from the French of OCTAVE FEUILLET will be performed. It is called "Die Incognito Liebe."

Mr. MAX MARETZEK is expected to return to the City during the coming week; his season in Havana having terminated on the 26th of last month. The greatest anxiety prevails in musical circles concerning the new prima donna, Madame INES FABBRI, who is known to be great not only as a singer but as a lyric actress. Her admirers maintain that she is a new Jenny Lind, and the public of Brazil, Peru and other South American States, even go further than that. In Rio Janeiro she was preferred to LA GRANGE and LA GRUA,—about whom there can be no mistake. On the 9th of April Mr. MARETZEK will commence ..., and then we shall both see and hear for ... In the meantime we may satisfy public ... by stating that there is not the slightest ... Madame FABBRI being entitled to the ... among all the prime donne now in this ...

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From Mexico.

MIRAMON'S DESCENT UPON THE COAST—PROCLAMATION ORDERING THE SUBMISSION OF VERA CRUZ—THE MINATITLAN PORT DISMANTLED—NATIVES EVERYWHERE PRESSED INTO SERVICE—FORTIFICATION OF ALVARADO.

From the New-Orleans Picayune.

The schooner *Suffolk*, Capt. SMITH, arrived at this port last evening from Minatitlan, Tehuantepec, the 12th inst. She likewise brings somewhat later news from Vera Cruz, taken down to Minatitlan by the Mexican war steamer *Wave*, as also later advices overland from the interior.

Of the whereabouts of MIRAMON we have no further mention. It is only stated that he had issued a proclamation ordering the submission and evacuation of Vera Cruz "within the space of four days." This news was taken down by the *Wave* on the 11th, and leaves us to suppose that a portion of the expedition, as before rumored, had already arrived in the vicinity of Vera Cruz. The proclamation, like that of last year, is probably dated at Jalapa or some other point on the road, whence it found its way into the city.

In the meantime the most active preparations continue, both at Alvarado and Vera Cruz, for putting those cities in the best state of defence. Among other things, the fort at the mouth of the Coatzacoalcos had been dismantled, and the guns, ammunition, &c., all taken up to Alvarado, for the double purpose of preventing their falling into the hands of the enemy, and strengthening the defences of the latter city.

The natives all along the coast, and especially at Minatitlan, had also been impressed into service, and forcibly taken off to man these fortifications. In the meantime disturbances, originating in the same spirit of civil discord, had been renewed at Acayucam, and other places on the Isthmus, and threatened, as in the interior of the Republic, to break out into open war.

Special Correspondence of the Picayune.

MINATITLAN, February.

Political affairs in this Republic, I need not say, look gloomy. MIRAMON is in possession of nearly the whole country, except the Atlantic ports and Matamoras and Acapulco on the Pacific. JUAREZ is still in possession of Tampico, Vera Cruz, Alvarado and Minatitlan, but is sorely pressed on every side.

Here, at Minatitlan, we for a long time momentarily expected a *pronunciamiento* in favor of MIRAMON, and with it the seizure of all American property and the assassination of American citizens; but, thanks to the prompt action of Mr. MCLANE, we now feel secure. No sooner did he learn of these revolutionary schemes than he at once asked and obtained the consent of the Juarez Government to send down some twenty men, under command of Lieut. CROSBY, of the sloop-of-war *Saratoga*. They arrived here in the steamer *Wave*, on the 25th ult., when the river steamer *Minatitlan* was kindly placed at their disposal by Messrs. WELSH and ALLEN.

The authorities of the port and vicinity, who had been planning a change of Government some time before, were visibly excited by the arrival of Lieut. CROSBY, in fact, tried to stir up the people to attack the steamer *Minatitlan*, but in vain. The prudent and cautious, though firm and determined course followed by Lieut. CROSBY, gave them no opportunity. It must be said, to the credit of this gentleman, that he was placed in a very delicate position, where firmness and sound judgment were required. A single misstep on his part would have brought about an open war.

As before said, the authorities wished for a disturbance; even the Governor went so far as to demand from the Consul an explanation, by what right American troops had been sent here. He received, as answer, that the United States of America had the right to send their men-of-war to any part of the globe where they had fellow-countrymen to protect. Subsequently Lieut. CROSBY called on the Governor to pay his respects to him; when he, the Governor, said he did not know if he should permit him, CROSBY, to remain. CROSBY replied that he was sent here for the protection of American interests, and that he should undoubtedly remain until recalled by the proper authority.

Subsequently a meeting was called, at which only Mexicans were permitted to be present, to take the matter into consideration. The Governor and Prefect were both of the number, and submitted the following propositions:

1 Shall the American troops be considered friends and allies or enemies?

2. Shall they be attacked and driven from the country, or,

3 Shall they be treated politely, but coldly?

The discussion was long, heated, and acrimonious. Finally, after four hours' deliberation, it was decided that the Americans, in the port of Minatitlan, be treated coldly but politely, until sufficient force be obtained to drive them out.

The Cincinnati Catastrophe.

FALLING OF THE WALL OF ST. XAVIER'S CHURCH—THIRTEEN LIVES LOST.

The Cincinnati *Gazette*, giving the particulars of the catastrophe at St. Xavier's Church, already reported by telegraph, says:

"The Church has lately been undergoing demolition, preparatory to the erection of a new and more commodious one, and is at the present time more than half torn away. Some thirty or forty laborers, mostly Irish, were engaged in the process of razing, thirteen of whom at the time of the accident were at work on one of the northern walls, arranging to tumble it down, but of a sudden it tottered, and without a moment's warning to the unfortunate workmen it fell inwardly, burying all of the thirteen beneath the ruins. The news of the sad calamity, so unusual and so terrible in its details, spread through the length and breadth of our city like wildfire, and scarce a half hour had elapsed before there was drawn to the spot fully fifteen thousand spectators. Hundreds of people with picks and spades lent their might, and quickly the bodies of the men were exhumed, exhibiting in their mangled appearance a most horrible and revolting spectacle. Brains, pieces of skull, &c., were scattered about here and there, and the bodies generally were so mashed and disfigured as to preclude immediate identification.

The bodies were removed fast as the work of disinterring proceeded to a subterranean apartment of the St. Xavier School, a building adjoining. The first one taken from out the crumbling mass of brick and mortar was identified by a woman close at hand as being that of her husband.

At dusk last evening *she was a maniac*—the awful reality of the day was too much for her.

One of the killed, a young man from Brown County, Ohio, had just been employed—scarce an hour had elapsed from the time of his setting to work before his death. He came to this city for the purpose of studying book-keeping, and completed a course of instructions at one of the colleges last week; being without friends and without money, he availed himself of an opportunity of going to work as a laborer.

With the exception of the above mentioned, all the parties were married and leave families, who are in the most abject circumstances, depending upon the meager pittance of a dollar a day for subsistence.

The names of the killed are as follows: 1. Timothy Sullivan—leaves a wife and family. 2. Patrick Gallagher, ex-policeman of the Sixth Ward—leaves a wife and two children. 3. Timothy Shay—leaves a wife and six children. 4. Daniel Brady—leaves a wife and one child. 5. John Duffy—leaves a wife and two children. 6. James Keamen—unmarried. 7. Stephen Claskin—leaves a wife and three children. 8. Daniel Fitzgerald—leaves four children. 9. Thomas Sayers—leaves a wife and one child. 10. John Manly—leaves a wife and four children. 11. Thomas Masters—leaves a wife and two children. 12. John Sullivan—leaves a wife and three children. 13. John Russell—leaves a wife and five children.

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HOUGH—SAMLER.—In this City, on Saturday, March 4, at Dr. Van Ness' Church, on 21st-st., by Rev. Dr. Hulbert, of Yonkers, Mr. CHARLES V. HOUGH, of New-York City, to Miss ELLA V. SAMLER, of South Yonkers.

DIED.

LILIENTHAL.—In this City, on Friday, March 2, LEAH LILIENTHAL, aged 76 years.

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, on Monday, March 5 at 1 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, No. 39 Beach-st. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

MATHEWS.—In this City, on Saturday, afternoon, March 3, WILLIAM E. MATHEWS.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, without further notice, at St. George's Church, Stuyvesant square, on Tuesday, March 6, at 2 o'clock. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

AUSTEN.—On Saturday night, March 3, MARY AUSTEN, wife of David Austen, in the 78th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the deceased, and of the families of her brother, John Haggerty, her sons-in-law, William H. Townsend, Isaac Townsend and George H. Fox, are invited to attend the funeral, from Grace Church, on Tuesday, March 6, at 12 o'clock M., without further invitation.

CANFIELD.—In this City, on Friday, March 2, ELIZABETH J. CANFIELD, in the 19th year of her age.

The friends and relatives of the family are invited to attend her funeral, on Monday, March 5, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the Church of the Incarnation, corner of Madison-av. and 35th-st.

MINGUIN.—In this City, on Sunday, March 4, of asthma, CATHERINE COWLIN, wife of Wm. Bryant Minister, in the 75th year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Tuesday, March 6, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Bryant, No. 127 Bowery.

SCOVILL.—In this City, on Sunday, March 4, Mrs. SARAH SCOVILL, daughter of ELIAS A. and JANE M. SCOVILL, aged 4 years, 1 month and 17 days.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, at the residence of her parents, No. 324 West 17th-st., on Tuesday, March 6, at 2 o'clock P. M.

KENNEDY.—In this City, on Sunday, March 4, MARY EVELINE KENNEDY, in the 24th year of her age, relict of James Kennedy, late of Baltimore.

Her friends and those of her sons, John A and Wm. D. Kennedy, are invited without further notice to attend the funeral, this (Monday) morning, at 11 o'clock, at No. 54 Beach-st. The remains will be removed to Baltimore for interment.

LEWIS.—In this City, on Sunday, March 4, of hydrocephalous, ANNA KATE, only child of Benjamin and Catharine Lewis, aged 8 months and 12 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 263½ Greenwich av., this (Monday) afternoon, at 1 o'clock.

☞ Utica *Herald* please copy.

HEDDEN.—In this City, on Saturday, March 3, WARREN R., son of Cornelius B. and Martha W. Hedden, aged 2 years, 1 month and 8 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at the residence of his grandfather, A. F. Pearse, No. 347 West 19th-st., this (Monday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

BURR.—In this City, on Saturday, March 3, HATTIE A., daughter of Henry A. and Harriet A. Burr, aged 4 years, 3 months and 23 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father, No. 32 7th-st., this day, (Monday,) March 5, at 2 o'clock, without further invitation.

HENDERSON.—In this City, on Sunday morning, March 4, CORTLANDT, infant son of Peter S. and Charlotte M. Henderson.

The remains will be taken, this (Monday) morning, to Oyster Bay for interment.

MAXWELL.—In this City, on Friday, March 2, JAMES S. MAXWELL, in the 26th year of his age.

MOORE.—In Brooklyn, on Sunday morning, March 4, MARY ESTHER KNAPP, wife of John T. Moore, aged 24 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, No. 54 Montague-st., on Tuesday, March 6, at 2 o'clock P. M., and at the Church on the Heights, Pierrepont-st., at 3½ o'clock.

WHITE.—In Brooklyn, on Sunday, March 4, HENRIETTA, youngest daughter of Wm. A. and Lucy J. White, aged 2 years.

ADORN.—At Orange, N. J., on Thursday, March 1, DORCAS WALLACE ADORN, wife of Robert M. Adorn, and daughter of Israel Sheldon, Esq., of Alabama, in the 39th year of her age.

Funeral from Grace Church, Orange, this day, (Monday,) March 5 at 1 o'clock. Cars of Morris and Essex Railroad leave at 8¾ and 11¾ o'clock A. M.

ALLEN.—At Elizabethport, N. J., on Saturday, March 3, suddenly, WM. B. ALLEN.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invites to attend his funeral, this (Monday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 42 East 24th-st.

HOWLAND.—At Toronto C. W., on Wednesday, Feb. 29, the wife of W. P. Howland, M. P. P., and widow of the late Capt. W. B. Webb, of New-York, in the 45th year of her age.

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68, 75, 20, 23, 41, 29, 25, 57, 3, 6, 43, 45.
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TO LET WITH STEAM POWER—THE EN-tire second and third floors of building situated north side 25th-st., between 10th and 11th avs., formerly occupied by Messrs. Passevant, Archer & Co., as a foundry. Apply, on the premises, to WM. C. SCAFF, foreman, or to N & R., No. 11 Pine-st., Room No. 10. Immediate possession given if required.

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RUSSELL W. WESTCOTT & CO. will sell, as above, the entire superb rosewood furniture, elegant bronzes, marble groups, paintings, &c., made to order and imported for the present owner. The sale will be absolute and peremptory, consisting of superb rosewood parlor furniture, in suite comprising three full suites, made by Sasts of Broadway, and cost $1,200; elegant rosewood piano-forte, 7¼ octave, with pearl keys; Egyptian and Mosaic top, centre and pier tables, two magnificent rosewood statuary top etageres, style of Louis XIVth; Turkish lounges, French secretaries, elegant mantel and pier mirrors, made by Lecot of Paris; agate and French vases; marble pedestals, surmounted with bronze; marble groups, with a valuable collection of oil paintings by Cole, Huntington, Egllo, and other eminent artists; with the superb rosewood chamber, dining room and nursery furniture, all first-class; rich China, ruby and crystal cut glass; ivory table cutlery, silver ware, &c. Terms of sale cash, bankable money; deposit from purchasers. Sale, rain or shine.

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ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

CENTRAL PARK LOTS.

BY ORDER SUPREME COURT IN PARTITION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER will sell at auction, on TUESDAY, March 6, 1860, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, under the direction of Murray Hoffman, Jr., Referee.

FIFTH-AV.—Four lots commencing on Southeast corner of 61st-st.

SEVENTY-THIRD ST.—Ten lots adjoining above lots on the west.

Maps and further particulars at No. 35 Wall-st.

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POSITIVE SALE OF TWENTY-FOUR valuable lots on 33d and 34th sts., between 8th and 9th avs., being part of the property of the New-York Institution for the Blind.

WM. DUMONT will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, March 7, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange:

THIRTY-FOURTH-ST.—12 lots, beginning 100 feet from the northwest corner of 8th-av., each lot 25 feet by 98 feet 9 inches. 70 per cent may remain on bond and mortgage. Maps at the office of the auctioneer, No. 4 Wall-st., on the 6th inst. The sale of the above property will be absolute, as the Institution have purchased property adjoining the Deaf and Dumb for immediate improvement.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

TWENTY-THIRD-ST. PROPERTY.—BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.—ADRIAN H. MULLER will sell at auction on THURSDAY, March 8, 1860, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, by order of the Executor of John Van Boskerck, deceased, the two 2-story and attic frame dwelling houses and lots Nos. 31 and 33 West 23d-st., north side, between 5th and 6th avs.; lots together 41 feet 6 inches front, 53 feet 8 inches rear, by 117 feet 6 inches deep. Also, the first-class four-story high-stoop brown-stone front dwelling house and lot No. 60 West 23d-st., south side, between 6th and 7th avs. The house is 25 by 60 feet, replete with all the modern improvements; lot 26x98.9. Sixty per cent. of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage. For further particulars and maps, apply to the Auctioneer, No. 35 Wall-st.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE ESTATE OF JAS. HART, Jr., DECEASED.—ADRIAN H. MULLER will sell at auction on TUESDAY, March 6, 1860, at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange:

NINTH-ST.—2 four-story brick houses, with stores underneath, and lots Nos. 174 and 176, near 3d-av.

SECOND-AV.—1 valuable lot southeast corner of 9th-st.

NINTH-ST.—2 first-class brick houses adjoining the 2d-av. lot.

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PEREMPTORY SALE OF TWO VALUABLE HOUSES AND LOTS ON FIFTEENTH-STREET, NEAR STUYVESANT-SQUARE.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on TUESDAY, March 6, at 12 o'clock at the Merchants' Exchange:

FIFTEENTH-STREET.—The two handsome three-story brick houses, together with the lease of the lots Nos. 92 and 94 East 15th-st., north side between 3d-av. and Rutherford-place, and near Stuyvesant-square. The houses are each 20x56 feet and extension, in good order, and contain the modern conveniences. The lots are each 20x103 feet 3 inches. Leased from the Stuyvesant estate, has six years to run from August 1860, with two renewals of 21 years each. Ground rent $60 per annum. Two thousand dollars can remain on mortgage on each house. Maps of the property and particulars at the Auctioneer's office, No. 3 Pine-st.

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AUCTION NOTICE.—MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.—THIS DAY (Monday,) March 5, at 10½ o'clock, all the contents of the five-story residence No. 218 14th-st., west of 8th-av., consisting of fine velvet and Brussels carpets, elegant rosewood piano-forte, stool and cover, solid rosewood parlor suites, centre and side tables, rich lace and brocatel curtains, choice oil-paintings, pier and mantel mirrors, rich china vases, fine extension table, 14 feet, dining-room suite in satin, together with a very large assortment of bedroom furniture, beds and bedding, hair mattresses, feather beds, quilts sheets, &c. Also, china ware, glassware, silver ware, cutlery, kitchen utensils, oil-cloths, stair carpets, rods, &c.

WM. WITTERS, Auctioneer.

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FULTON COUNTY (ILLINOIS) BONDS FOR SALE.

They bear 8 per cent. interest, payable annually on 1st of July in each year, at the American Exchange Bank, in this city. They are guaranteed to be strictly legal in every respect, and a first-class security.

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$20 000 SCOTT COUNTY (ILLINOIS) BONDS.

Interest at the rate of 7 per cent, payable semi-annually, on the 1st of April and 1st of October in each year.
GEO. T. M. DAVIS, No. 47 Exchange-place.

TO THE MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS OF THE CHICAGO, ALTON, AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD CO.—(Late Chicago Mississippi Railroad Co.)—The agreement between the different classes of Bondholders, as prepared and recommended by the Committee appointed at a meeting of Bondholders, Dec. 23, 1859, and unanimously adopted, is now ready for signature, and can be found at the office of Charles Congdon, Receiver, No. 28 Cliff-st. The time limited within which it may be signed will expire March 20, 1860. A sufficient number of the Bondholders have signified their assent to it, to justify the Committee in believing that there is no reasonable doubt of its being adopted, and fully carried out. The Committee appointed for that purpose will call a meeting of the subscribers to the agreement, to be held at the Metropolitan Bank, on the 21st day of March, 1860, at 12 o'clock. M., for the purpose of appointing the Trustees or Attorneys therein named, and to transact any other business proper to be done at that meeting.

CHARLES MORAN,
L. A. VAN HOFFMAN,
WILLIAM HUGE,
E. C. READ,
N. PECK.
} Committee.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A meeting of the Stockholders of THE WASHINGTON ICE COMPANY will be held at the office of said Company, situated on West-st., at the foot of Christopher-st., in the City of New-York, on the 27th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of taking action in relation to increasing the amount of the capital stock of said Company to the sum of forty thousand dollars, and otherwise extending and changing the business thereof by adding two additional Trustees, who, with the present Trustees, shall form the Board of Trustees for the management of the property and business of said Company. Dated, New-York, 18th February, 1860.

RANSOM PARKER,
R. G. BONESTEEL,
JAMES VAN ETEN,
} Trustees.

OFFICE RECEIVER N. Y. AND ERIE RAILROAD CO.,
NEW-YORK, March 2, 1860.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE SUPREME Court, the interest on the second mortgage bonds of the New-York and Erie Railroad Company, which became due on the 1st September, 1859, will be paid at the office of the Receiver, in Erie-place, New-York, on and after March 12, instant. Interest on bonds for which extension coupons have been issued will be paid on presentation and delivery of the coupons; and interest on bonds for which extension coupons have not been issued will be paid on presentation of the bonds for indorsement of payment, and the receipt of the person presenting them.

NATHANIEL MARSH, Receiver.

UNITED STATES AND CANADA.—THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, as agents for Messrs. DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., Bankers, New-York, hereby give notice that they will receive money on account of that firm, for which they will issue, free of charge, Letters of Credit, or Circular Letters, of £10 and upwards, similar to those in such extensive use on the Continent of Europe and elsewhere, payable at all the principal cities and towns in the United States, Canada, &c.

NOTICE.—THE HOLDERS OF THE COUPONS of the First Mortgage Bonds of the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company, (Eastern Division,) due July 1st, 1858, are requested to call at the office of the undersigned; and are notified that the agreement in reference to these Coupons will be carried into effect on and after the 8th inst. BARCLAY & LIVINGSTON, No. 24 Beaver-st.

OFFICE OF THE TRADESMEN'S FIRE INSURANCE CO., Office 153 Bowery, under Mechanics and Traders' Bank.
NEW-YORK, March 3, 1860.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIrectors of this Company and for inspectors for 1861, will be held on March 13. The polls will be open between 12 and 1 o'clock. T. Y. BROWN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE SECURITY FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 21 Pine-st., New-York, Feb. 15, 1860.

DIVIDEND.—A STOCKHOLDERS' DIVIDEND OF Five (5) Per Cent. on the Capital Stock of this Company has been this day declared payable on demand. By order of the Board of Directors,

R. L. HAYDOCK, Secretary.

$10.000 TO $15,000 WANTED—ON A large lot and building, well located, being a corner lot in the lower part of this City, on a large business street. The building says 50 per cent. Address A. B., Box No. 121 *Times* Office.

CORN EXCHANGE INSURANCE COMPANY.—NEW-YORK, March 1, 1860.—DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a Semi-annual Dividend of Ten (10) per cent., payable on demand.
W. H. WINDSOR, Secretary.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the names and firm of M. K. JESUP & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. GILEAD A SMITH retiring therefrom. MORRIS K. JESUP & JOHN KENNEDY will sign in liquidation.

MORRIS K. JESUP,
JOHN KENNEDY,
GILEAD A. SMITH.

NEW-YORK, March 1, 1860.

The undersigned will continue the business of General Railway Agents and Commission Merchants, at No. 44 Exchange-place, New-York, No. 44 Dearborn-st., Chicago, under the firm of M. K. JESUP & CO., as heretofore.

MORRIS K. JESUP,
JOHN KENNEDY.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE NOTICE, the undersigned will continue the business on his own account, with the agency of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company.
NEW-YORK, March 1, 1860. GILEAD A. SMITH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE copartnership heretofore existing between Henry Farnam, Thomas C. Durant and Charles W. Durant, under the firm name and style of FARNAM & DURANT, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent.

HENRY FARNAM,
THOMAS C. DURANT,
C. W. DURANT.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 16, 1859.

COPARTNERSHIP.—THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a copartnership, which will be known under the firm, name and style of E. BACKUS & CO., for the transaction of the stove and general foundry business. Salesrooms, No. 223 Water-st. Foundry at Stuyvesant, Columbia County, New-York.

EVENS BACKUS,
HENRY H. GIBBS.

NEW-YORK, Jan. 1, 1860.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of VAN TINE & PEELE is this day dissolved by mutual consent. T. H. VAN TINE is authorized to sign in liquidation, and will continue the business as usual at the old stand No. 81 6th-av.

T. H. VAN TINE,
ROBERT PEELE.

NEW-YORK, March 1, 1860.

NOTICE.—MR. EBEN BARTON IS A PARTNER in our business from this date. The firm name will remain the same. WM. EDGAR BIRD & CO.
NEW-YORK, March 1, 1860.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—MR. J. E. FISHER is admitted as a member of our firm from this date.—NEW-YORK, March 1, 1860. FISHER & CO.

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150 WATER-ST. A CARD. 150 WATER-ST.

The present occupants of our former store, No. 176 Water-st., refusing us the privilege of having our sign of removal at their door, we are obliged to walk a man carrying a big double sign, indicating our removal to No. 150 Water-st., in front of said store. In resorting to this means we must also state to our friends and the public, that we are the sole agents for T. A. Jalics & Co.'s, in Pesth, celebrated Hungarian Wines; that no other house in the United States can import them, and that we continue to sell those wines at No. 150 Water-st., 150 WATER-ST. GROSSINGER & WIGAND.

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ROCKWELL'S PURE GRAPE AND BLACKBERRY WINE, for which Gold and Silver Medals were awarded at the late Fair of the American Institute. Sold by E. GOODENOUGH, No. 123 Nassau-st.; HEGEMAN, CLARK & CO., Nos. 161, 309, 511 and 756 Broadway, N. Y.; R. J. DAVIES, No. 209 Fulton-st., Brooklyn. Also, by the producer, in kegs of five gallons or over, at $2 per gallon, and in bottles at $8 per dozen delivered in New York free of charge.
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RAILROADS.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD.
FARE 25 TO ALBANY.

On and after WEDNESDAY, Jan. 18, 1860, trains will leave 26th-st Station, New-York, as follows:
For Williams' Bridge, 8:30 and 11 A. M., 3:30 and 5:30 P. M.
For White Plains, 12:30 and 5 P. M. For White Plains, 6:15 P. M., from White-st. Depôt.
For Croton Falls, 4 P. M., from 26th-st. Depôt.
For Millerton 3 P. M., from 26th-st. Depôt.
For Albany, 9 A. M., mail; and 3:30 P. M., express; (connecting with N. Y. C. R. R.) Returning, will leave Williams' Bridge, 6:45 and 9:30 A. M., 1 and 3:45 P. M.
White Plains, 5 and 7:20 A. M.; 4:50 P. M.
Croton, 7 A. M. Millerton, 7 A. M.
Albany, 11 A. M., mail, and 4:10 P. M., express train.

The 9 A. M. Mail and 3:30 P. M. Express train connect at Chatham Four Corners for all stations on Western Railroad. Baggage checked for the Mail and Express trains corner White and Centre sts., from 7 to 8:15 A. M., and from 1 to 2:40 P. M.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY—Connecting at New-Hampton with the Delaware Lackawanna and Western Railroad, and at Easton with the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS—Commencing Dec. 19, 1859.—Leave New-York for Easton and intermediate places, from foot of Cortlandt-st., at 9 A. M., 12 M., and 4:10 P. M. For Somerville, by the above trains, at 5:30 P. M. From Pier No. 1, North River, at 7:30 and 11:30 A. M., and 3:30 P. M. for Easton and intermediate stations. For Somerville, by the above trains, at 4:30 P. M.

The 12 M. train from foot of Cortlandt-st., and the 11:30 A. M. train from Pier No. 1, North River, make a close connection at Easton with the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and thence, *via* East Pennsylvania Railroad, to Reading, without change of cars, and connects at Reading direct for Pottsville and Harrisburgh.

Passengers for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad will leave New-York, from foot of Cortlandt-st., at 9 A. M., or at 7:30 from Pier No. 2, North River, for Lehigh Valley Railroad, at 8 A. M. and 12 M. from foot of Cortlandt-st., or from Pier No. 2, North River, at 7:30 and 11:30 A. M.

JOHN O. STERNS, Superintendent.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FROM DEC. 23, 1859, Trains will leave Chambers-st. Station as follows: Express Trains, 7 and 11 A. M., and 4:30 P. M.; for Sing Sing, 3:45 and 6:40 P. M.; for Poughkeepsie, 7:30 A. M., and 12:20 and 3:20 P. M.; for Peekskill, 5:15 P. M. a Montreal and Buffalo Passenger Train (with sleeping cars,) leaves 1st-st. daily, at 9:30 P. M. The Poughkeepsie, Peekskill and Sing Sing Trains stop at most of the way stations. Passengers taken at Chambers, Canal, Christopher and 31st sts. Trains for New-York leave Troy at 5:15 and 10:10 A. M., and 4 and 9 P. M., and Albany about 15 minutes later. On Sunday at 6:15 P. M.

A. F. SMITH, Superintendent.

NEW-YORK AND FLUSHING RAILROAD.—Leave Fulton Market-slip for FLUSHING, per steamer MANTANO, at 9 A. M., 4 P. M. and 6 P. M., connecting with cars at Hunter's Point. Returning—leave Flushing at 6:30, 8 and 10 A. M., and 3 and 5 P. M. Extra trains leave Hunter's Point for Flushing at 11:15 and 11:15 A. M., returning, leave Flushing at 1 P. M.; passengers by this train will cross the 34th-st. Ferry. Fare 13 cents. Fare from Fulton Market-slip, 25 cents. All above trains stop at the way stations. Calvary Cemetery, Winfield, Newtown and West Flushing. On Sundays cars leave Hunter's Point for Flushing and all way stations at 9:30, 11, 4 and 5 o'clock; returning, leave Flushing at 8:30, 10, 3 and 4:30 o'clock. Excursion tickets for the trip, 25 cents.

RARITAN AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD.—FOR PORT MONMOUTH, MIDDLETOWN, HIGHLANDS, RED BANK, SHREWSBURY, EATONTOWN, LONG BRANCH, SQUAN, &c., via steamboat ALICE PRICE. Leave Murray st. wharf March 1, at 11 A. M.; 2d, 12½ P. M.; 3d, 2½ P. M.; 5th, 8 A. M. and 3½ P. M.; 6th 4 P. M.; 7th, 4 P. M.; 8th, 6 A. M.; 9th, 7 A. M.; 10th 7½ A. M. and 4 P. M.; 12th, 8 A. M.; 13th, 9½ A. M.; 14th, 10½ A. M.; 15th, 12 M. Returning, will leave Red Bank 2½ hours after the boat leaves New-York.

NEW-YORK AND ERIE RAILROAD.—From pier foot of Duane-st.—Dunkirk Express, at 7 A. M. for Dunkirk, Buffalo, Canandaigua, and principal stations. For Newburgh Express, at 3:30 P. M., for Newburgh, Middletown, and intermediate stations. Night Express, at 4:30 P. M. for Dunkirk, Buffalo, Canandaigua and principal stations.

CHAS. MINOT, General Superintendent.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.—TRAINS LEAVE Brooklyn for Greenport at 10 A. M.; Yaphank, 10 A. M., and on Saturdays at 3:30 P. M.; North Islip at 10 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.; Syosset at 10 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.; for Hempstead at 10 A. M., 3:30 and 5 P. M.; for Jamaica at 10 A. M., 3:30, 5 and 6:30 P. M.

NORTHERN RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY.—Leave foot of Cortlandt st., Jersey City Ferry, daily, (Sundays excepted,) 3:40 and 5:30 P. M. for Piermont and Suffern; 6:30 and 7:30 A. M. for Piermont. Leave Suffern at 7 A. M., and 6:30 P. M., and Piermont 6:30 and 7:55 A. M., and 2:10 and 7:35 P. M. Stages connect for Hackensack, Schralenburg, Nyack, New-City and Haverstraw.

NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD—FOR PHILADELPHIA AND THE SOUTH AND WEST FROM JERSEY CITY—Mail and Express Line. Leaves New-York at 7, 9 and 11 A. M.; 4, and 6 P. M., fare $3; 12 M., fare $2 50. Through baggage checked in 7 A. M. and 6 P. M.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE discharge of an insolvent from his debts, pursuant to the provisions of the third article of the first title of the fifth chapter of the second part of the Revised Statutes.—JOHN W. CIPPERLY, of the town of Lansingburgh, in the County of Rensselaer, an insolvent debtor, individually and as one of the late firm of A. S. PERRY & CO., of the City of Troy, New-York. Notice first published Feb. 20, 1860; creditors to appear before Hon. GILBERT ROBERTSON Jr., County Judge of said County of Rensselaer, at his office, in the City of Troy, in said County, on the 8th day of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why an assignment should not be made of said insolvent's estate, and he discharged from his debts, individually and as one of said late firm of A. S. PERRY & CO.

TABOR & HARWOOD, Attorneys for Insolvent,
20f-law10wM* Troy, N. Y.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE discharge of an insolvent from his debts, pursuant to the provisions of the third article of the first title of the fifth chapter of the second part of the Revised Statutes.—AMOS S. PERRY, of the City of Troy, in the County of Rensselaer, an insolvent debtor, individually and as one of the late firm of A. S. PERRY & CO., of said City of Troy, New-York. Notice first published Feb. 20, 1860; creditors to appear before Hon. GILBERT ROBERTSON Jr., County Judge of said County of Rensselaer, at his office, in the City of Troy, in said County, on the 8th day of May, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why an assignment should not be made of said insolvent's estate, and he discharged from his debts individually and as one of said late firm of A. S. PERRY & CO.

TABOR & HARWOOD, Attorneys for Insolvent,
20f-law10wM* Troy, New-York.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM Y. FRENCH, late of the City of New-York, Merchant, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her residence, No. 553 Grand-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 10th day of September next.—Dated New-York the 6th day of March, 1860.

JANE B. FRENCH, Administratrix.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM BEEBE, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at the office of Leander Ross, No. 84 Pearl-street, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of August next.—Dated New-York Feb. 18, 1860.

LEANDER ROSS, Executor.
JANE BEEBE, Executrix.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOHN S. SMITH, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of Edward C. Smith, No. 36 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 22d day of March next.—Dated New-York, the 10th day of September, 1859.

HARRIET SMITH, Executrix.
s15-law6mM* EDWARD C. SMITH, Executor.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against NOAH T. CONKLING, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of business, No. 110 Duane-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 7th day of July next.—Dated New-York, Jan. 7, 1860.

ja9 law6mM* SAML. D. ADDISON, Executor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons having claims against the estate of JANE WILLIAMS, late of the City and County of New-York, deceased, to present the same at the residence of either of the subscribers on or before the 10th of July next.—Dated New-York, Jan. 7, 1860.

VINCENT W. BATE, No. 835 Broadway,
THOMAS UTTER, No. 61 Barrow-st.,
ja9-law6mM* Executors.

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For ASPINWALL DIRECT and will connect, via Panama Railroad, with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamer
GOLDEN AGE,
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AND PROCEED DIRECTLY TO SAN FRANCISCO.

For freight, apply at the office of the Company, No. 56 Wall-st.

For passage, apply at the office—over the gate, on the wharf at the foot of Canal-st., to
WM. H. WICKHAM.

N. B.—Letters to all parts of California will be taken by Wells, Fargo & Co.'s and Freeman & Co.'s Expresses by these steamers.

THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYDS STEAMSHIP NEW-YORK, H. J. VON SANTEN, Commander, carrying the United States mail, will sail positively on SATURDAY, March 17, at 12 o'clock, M.,
FOR
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At the following rates:
First cabin, $100; second cabin, $65; steerage, $35.
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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Troops for the Mexican Frontier—Frauds in Utah—The Trans-Continental Telegraph—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sunday, March 4.

MOVEMENTS AGAINST THE INDIANS.

The facts stated in the Associated Press dispatch, concerning Army movements, are in the main correct, though the purposes of the Government are misconceived. It was stated in the TIMES, a week ago, that the troops would leave Utah, but they will not occupy the posts now occupied by the troops in New-Mexico, but will go to new posts just about to be established in that Territory. The old posts will be abandoned, and the troops distributed along the Mexican line, and not particularly on the Texas frontier, as stated. Nor are these troops going to the Navajo country, there having been no obstructions of the mails within a thousand miles of that region; but they are to march simultaneously from Forts Union, Bobb and Kearney—these forts occupying a triangular position—and to surround and close in upon the Comanches and Kiowas, who have been attacking the mails between Missouri and New-Mexico. These warlike tribes will thus be hemmed, and a desperate fight is anticipated.

THE PARAGUAY TREATY.

Ratifications of the Paraguay Treaty will be exchanged to-morrow or on Tuesday, immediately after which the new Minister will be formally received. This delay has been in consequence of the Department having been obliged to get silver castings for the seals manufactured, there being none on hand.

ALLEGED MISDEMEANOR.

The Department of the Interior is engaged in examining the charges preferred against Gov. CUMMING, of Utah, who, it is said, charged the salary for a private Secretary for two years, and deducted the amount from the Contingent Fund, when there was no such office in the Territory.

Dr. FERBY, Indian Superintendent for Utah, is also on trial upon charges preferred by Judge CRADLEBAUGH, for false vouchers in his accounts with the Government.

THE PACIFIC TELEGRAPH.

The only opposition to Senator GWIN's Telegraph bill is said to be from one or two individuals who are largely interested in the patent rights of the different instruments. They claim that the amount asked for is too small, and that they can dictate to the Government who shall build the line, and get their own price for doing the Government business. In other words, the object is to fleece the Government out of a large sum, on the ground that they only can be contracted with. The present bill, however, has a majority of those interested in the ownership of the patents, which obviates all difficulties from that source. Q.

SUNDAY, March 4.

The letter of Gov. HOUSTON to the President has not been, but may soon be, made public in response to the resolutions of both branches of Congress calling for information in relation to the troubles along the Texas border. It is understood, however, that Gov. HOUSTON, among other things, represents the existence of actual war, urges immediate succor, and indicates his intention to call out volunteers in sufficient force to pursue and punish the enemy to the fullest extent. It is known, from the latest Texas dates, that he is vigorously prosecuting his plans to the letter. A reply has been sent by the President, who, there is reason to believe, is opposed to this independent course in waging war, especially as our affairs with Mexico are in a critical condition, and as orders have been dispatched for the marching of large bodies of troops to the frontier, and the instructions are of such a character as to accomplish the objects contemplated without unnecessary delay. Gov. HOUSTON has been so informed by the President; also that the calling out of volunteers for the purposes mentioned properly devolves on Congress. No unconditional order has been issued by our Government for the forces to pass into the Mexican territory. The Constitutional Government last Summer gave permission for the landing of naval forces at several ports, for the protection of the persons and property of American citizens, and it is probable that in pursuance of this course a provisional arrangement will soon be made, according to which the Governor of Tamaulipas will offer no obstruction to the crossing of our troops in pursuit of those who may seek refuge in that neighboring territory.

There is no truth in the report that the Mexican Minister, Señor MATA, is opposed to the treaty or any part of its provisions.

CHARLES E. WEED has been appointed and confirmed as United States Marshal for Washington Territory.

The President has recognized GEORGE EDWARD KUHRARDT as Consul for the free Hanseatic City of Lubeck in New-York.

From the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Saturday, March 3.

Intelligence was received here this morning from Austin, Texas, with dates to the 20th ult. The Indians on the upper or northern frontier of Texas have commenced an open war upon the people—murdering women and children, stealing property, and committing every other outrage that can be imagined. It will require all the available United States troops, and even the volunteers of Texas, to suppress the difficulties that now exist there and on the Mexican frontier.

Judge BLACK, who has been ill for several days, was this morning much worse, and some fears are entertained as to his recovery. Towards the close of the day, however, he became easier.

The House Committee on Territories have under consideration the subject of reorganizing the Territory of Utah so that voting therein will be based upon legal votes, instead of inhabitants, which will give the Gentiles a show of fairness. Another project before the Committee is to divide up the Territory of Utah so as to reduce the Mormons to a state of necessary inferiority, territorially, and compel them either to abandon the soil which they now inhabit or obey national law.

FROM ALBANY.

Proceedings of the Legislature.

ALBANY, Sunday, March 4.

The resolutions introduced by Senator J. MCLEOD MURPHY yesterday, on the presentation of the Central Park Two Million and a Half bill, after a preamble, require from the Commissioners of the Park information as to the action of the Board on contracts, amount of money expended, names of persons who make purchases for the Park, and the full items of the annual expenditure. The resolutions are similar in tone to those introduced by Mr. CONKLING in the Assembly, and rejected by a meagre majority. There was but one dissenting voice to their adoption in the Senate.

WILLIAM LAMSON, landlord of the American Hotel, and well known as the former proprietor of Congress Hall and the City Hotel, died to-day.

SENATE.

ALBANY, Saturday, March 3.

The Assembly's amendment to the Hell-gate bill was concurred in, and the bill passed.

Mr. MCLEOD MURPHY's bill, giving preference in the District Courts of New-York to cases in which servants and laborers are plaintiffs for wages, was passed.

ASSEMBLY.

ALBANY, Saturday, March 3.

A majority of the Committee of Ways and Means reported the bill tolling all railroads in the State competing with the canals. The bill was made the special order for Wednesday next. A minority of the Committee will present an adverse report.

BILLS REPORTED FAVORABLY.

To authorize double railroad track on the Brooklyn and Jamaica Plankroad; to consolidate the Brooklyn and Flushing and the Brooklyn and Jamaica Railroad.

The bill to repeal the law exempting clergymen from taxation was reported adversely.

A large number of bills were introduced:

By Mr. FULLER, to prevent the issue of free railroad passes to officers of the State.

By Mr. MASTERSON, to legalize the ordinances of the Common Council of New-York relative to filling sunken lots.

Mr. MILLER moved for the appointment of a Grinding Committee. Laid over.

The Governor sent in a communication from the French Ambassador, objecting to the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds in France under the law of 1856.

An attempt to make the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad bill the special order for Friday next failed.

Mr. FISHER introduced a bill to amend the act relative to wharves and piers, by reserving to their owners, if also agents or owners of lines of steamboats ships or vessels, the exclusive use of such wharves, piers or slips, and imposing double wharfage upon all ships occupying the same against the will of the owners. It obliges harbor-masters to comply with the wishes of owners in such cases.

The motion to make the Personal Liberty bill the special order for Friday failed.

Adjourned till Monday evening.

LOSS OF THE HUNGARIAN.

Further Indications of the Number of Persons on Board.

A Hundred and Forty Passengers Supposed to have Perished.

MONTREAL, Saturday, March 3.

The following dispatch was received from the *Hungarian's* agent here last evening:

BARRINGTON, Thursday, March 1.

To EDMUNDSTON, ALLEN & Co: I have returned from Baccaro Light house. I went over 12 miles off the coast. No more bodies have been found. Three trunks have been found, one belonging to MARGARET ROBERTSON, Montreal; one to ROBERT MARTIN, Toronto; and one to W. R. CROCKER, Norwich, Conn. I found a quantity of goods at Baccaro and Port Latour, but not a package whole. I also found one boat undamaged. From the appearance of the goods I don't think it advisable to keep the schooner here longer. Lloyd's agent advises the goods to be sold here, they being so badly damaged. The goods are spread over a space of about 70 miles, and being in so many hands, there will be great difficulty in collecting them. The surveyors have not yet given in their report. (Signed) A. CRAWFORD.

The following is a list of the passengers booked per the *Hungarian* at the Agency of the Grand Trunk Railroad in England:

Mr. KYATT of Sherbrook, one adult, first class.

Mr. CHILDS of Bowmansville, two adults and infant, second class.

Mr. EVANS of Montreal, two adults, first class.

Mr. CAMERON of Montreal, one adult, first class.

Mr. STUART of Montreal, one adult, first class.

Mr. BALMER of Montreal, two adults, first class.

Mr. WILSON of Toronto, one adult, first class.

Mr. RICHARDSON of Toronto, two adults, second class.

Mr. MORRISON of Toronto, one adult, first class.

Mr. MARTIN of Toronto, one adult, second class.

Mr. SHANK of Toronto, one adult, second class.

Mr. WOODS of Cornwall, one adult, first class.

Mr. BARTLETT of Quebec, one adult, second class.

Mr. SAMICURGO of Niagara Falls, two adults, second class.

Mr. SAGE of Milwaukee, one adult, second class.

REPORTS BY THE AFRICA.

One of the passengers by the *Africa*, arrived yesterday morning, informs us that Mr. —— CAMERON, of the firm of CAMERON & DONNELL, of Montreal, and J. E. WILSON, of Toronto, were passengers in the *Hungarian*.

Capt. SHANNON, of the *Africa*, says she had about 140 passengers.

LETTER FROM THE OWNERS—A DEFENCE OF CAPT. JONES.

The following appears in the London (Canada) *Free Press* of March 1:

We have been favored with a communication from EDMONSTONE, ALLAN & Co., the enterprising owners of the Canadian line of vessels, a few extracts from which will, we are sure, be read with interest. Referring to a recent article which appeared in this journal, our correspondents say:

"You seem to think that he *Indian*, and possibly the *Hungarian*, were lost in trying to make quick passages by hugging too closely the coast of Nova Scotia, to save distance. The shortest route a steamer can take keeps her about 50 miles away from that coast, at the place where the *Indian* was wrecked, and the log showed that the Captain supposed himself that distance from it when she went ashore.

In the case of the *Hungarian*, we do not know, and probably never can arrive at the facts; but we think it more than likely that Capt. JONES, having seen ice on his homeward passage, kept well south on his outward one, passed south of Sable Island, and never saw land at all till the vessel struck the rocks. If he had seen the land before, it is not proable we would now have to deplore his loss."

In reference to the character of Capt. JONES, Commander of the *Hungarian*, his employers say:

"On this point we feel especially bound to set you right. Capt. JONES has been in our employ for many years, and we had the most perfect confidence in him. He was intrepid, yet cautious; careful in all his observations and calculations; watchful and anxious at all times; of abstemious habits; kept his ship always in perfect order and strict discipline; always consulted and communicated freely with his first officer, HARDIE, who was almost equal to him in good qualities; he was also a man of rare judgment in nautical matters, and we deeply lament his loss, if lost he is, as there is too much reason to fear.

The quick passages he made in the *Indian* were not by cutting off corners or scudding over shoals, or carrying high steam, which we know he never did, but by constant and active watchfulness, taking advantage of every wind, and being ably supported by his whole ship's company, among which he always kept up an admirable *esprit du corps*.

In conclusion, we have to explain as regards ourselves, that all our captains have strict orders printed and hung up in their cabins, that the safety of the steamer and those on board of her is at all times to be preferred to speed; and that if they are in any doubt as to their position, either at night or in thick weather, they are not to run any risk, but to stop till daylight or clear weather enables them to ascertain it."

FROM THE PACIFIC.

The Overland Mail—Meeting of the Pacific Railroad Convention—Exciting Prospects for Miners—From the Sandwich Islands—Commercial and Ship News.

MOLLOY'S STATION, Saturday, March 3.

The Overland Mail coach, with regular San Francisco dates to Feb. 10, and telegraphic dispatches to the 11th, arrived here at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

The Pacific Railroad Convention has been in session at Sacramento since the 6th ult. It is composed of about seventy members, representing California, Oregon and Washington Territory. Its object is to concentrate public sentiment. It was resolved to send memorials to Congress on the subject, and legislative action on the part of California and Oregon was also recommended.

A resolution has been unanimously adopted urging the California Legislature to offer a bonus of six thousand dollars to any company that shall first complete an overland telegraph to the United States, and four thousand dollars to the company completing a second line by a different route, provided both lines shall be finished in eighteen months.

Several days have been spent in discussing the propriety of recommending the Legislature to pass a law, subject to the ratification of the people of California at the next general election, creating a State debt of $1,800,000, for the purpose of building a railroad to the eastern boundary of California. The members of the Legislature have been into the Convention to express their views on this subject. The proposition will probably be rejected as premature, and an appropriation be recommended sufficient to thoroughly explore all the mountain passes through which the Pacific Railroad may be built.

Petitions in favor of a Sunday law continued to be sent into the Legislature, so numerously signed that it is evident that a legal day of rest is demanded.

An act had passed the Legislature to protect California bound emigrants, by establishing a State agency in New-York to detect bogus ticket swindlers. A vigorous effort has been made in the Legislature to pass resolutions asking Congress to dissolve the injunction which has resulted in closing the New-Almaden quicksilver mine, and throwing six hundred laborers out of employment, thus rendering unavailable one of the richest mineral resources of the State. The question was still under consideration. The argument advanced in favor of the resolution was that the Government has been deceived by speculators into the commencement of an expensive suit, which could result in no public good, and that it was a scheme to make the United States pay the expenses of litigation when only private parties can derive any benefit. It is also urged that if the Government closes the quicksilver mine to determine the title to it, it may with equal propriety close the gold mines.

The Democracy are preparing for an exciting contest at the primary elections to be held throughout the State this and next week, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention which is to choose delegates to the Charleston Convention. The contest is between the Douglas and Administration Democrats, all acting with the regular party organization. Different tests as to the qualification of voters have been agreed upon in almost every county, but generally they are such as will allow the Anti-Lecomptonites to vote at the primary elections.

Dr. ROBERT P. CHASE, formerly of St. Louis, has been arrested for adulterating the acids used for refining gold at the San Francisco mint, rendering thereby a considerable quantity valueless. The alleged object for committing this singular crime is, that the doctor is an enemy of the acid manufacturers and wished to injure them, and that he purposed establishing an acid manufactory of his own, and hoped to secure the patronage of the mint through the depreciation of the quality of the acids made by his rivals. The case has excited great surprise from its malicious character and the previous good reputation of Dr. CHASE.

THE MINING WORLD.

The rage for discovering new mines continues. Three silver mines have been discovered in Calaveras County within a week, which are represented as very rich.

In Napa County what was first regarded as a silver mine, producing such an excitement that 1,000 people congregated at the spot at one time, turns out to be a very extensive quicksilver mine. About 400 people have taken possession, and are continuing their examinations.

New gold diggings are also reported in Calaveras County, and extensive veins, easy of access, in Tuolumne County.

The accounts from the quartz mines, and from the mines throughout the State generally, are cheering.

Advices from Carson Valley continue to speak favorably of the Washoe gold and silver mines—a claim having just been sold in a silver lead for $42,000. While this will probably bring about an extensive and increasing demand for goods in that direction, the San Francisco merchants express much uneasiness as to the effect upon the mining localities in California, many of which, it is feared, will be nearly depopulated as soon as Spring opens, and the stampede commences for the other side of the mountains.

Everything betokens that the ensuing season will witness one of the most exciting hunts for new mining regions ever experienced on this side of the continent.

FROM THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Advices received from the Sandwich Islands are to the 24th January. Mr. NEILSON was in a dying condition from the effect of the wounds inflicted by KING KAMEHAMEHA.

Arrived at Honolulu, Jan 28, ships *Zero*, from New-London; 13th, *Alctaist*, from New-Bedford.

At Baker's Island, loading, Dec. 7, ship *Flying Dragon*.

At Jarvis Island, Nov. 23, ship *Josiah Bradley*.

The ship *Ocean Express* had 1,600 tons of guano on board, and would sail for Hampton Roads Dec. 10.

COMMERCIAL AND SHIPPING.

Trade was dull at San Francisco, and a fleet of vessels arriving. Rice was active in a small speculative way. Butter—Sales at auction of 600 packages of old at 9¼c.@11c. Candles were not over 20c. per pound by the 500 boxes. Provisions were firm, but nothing was doing in them. Crushed Sugar was quiet. Coal was heavy. Bricks, in fact, was at a stand still for want of country demand.

Arrived at San Francesco Feb. 9, brig *Ida D. Rogers*, from Malaga; 10th, ships *Asa Eldridge* and *Prince Doria*, from New-York; *Oracle*, from Liverpool. Four other ships arrived in sight as the mail was leaving, but their names were not ascertained.

Sailed from San Francisco Feb. 6, ships *Torren*, for Puget Sound; *Thatcher Magoun*, for Callao; 8th Hamburg bark *Lunenberg*, for do.; 9th, *Morning Light* for New-York; Hamburg bark *Edward and Eliza*, for Melbourne.

SAN FRANCISCO, Saturday, Feb. 11—6 P. M.

Arrived, since the mail left, steamer *Golden Age* from Panama; ships *Noonday*, from Boston; *Emily Parham* and *West Wind*, from New-York; *Jean Gangen*, from Bordeaux.

Sailed, ship *Black Prince*, for Callao.

The markets are without change.

Kansas and Utah.

INTELLIGENCE FROM THE GOLD REGIONS.

LEAVENWORTH, Friday, March 2.

The Central Overland Mail Express has arrived here, bringing dates from Camp Floyd to Feb. 8, Salt Lake to the 10th, and Denver City to the 22d. All was quiet at Salt Lake. BILL HICKMAN was slowly recovering from his wounds. The health of the troops at Camp Floyd and Fort Bridger was good. The Express brought three passengers from Denver, and $2,500 in gold dust. No letters came by this arrival. Business at Denver was improving, and many miners were leaving for the mountains. New diggings had been discovered in different sections, and parties had gone over to the Colorado prospecting. A company was being organized to explore that river as far as Fort Yuma.

The Southwestern Frontier.

MUSTERING OF VOLUNTEERS IN TEXAS.

WASHINGTON, Saturday, March 3.

New-Orleans papers to Tuesday last have arrived here.

Gov. HOUSTON has received more than eighty applications from gentlemen desiring to raise volunteers. He has advised that such companies be raised and officered in every frontier county, and that a system of espionage be agreed upon, and that in case of alarm, pursuit be given, and the invaders and thieves—whether Indians or whites in the garb of Indians—be exterminated. There are already nine organized companies in the field.

A truly alarming condition of affairs on the western frontier of Texas is represented.

Virginia and the Southern Conference.

MESSAGE OF GOV. LETCHER.

RICHMOND, Sunday, March 4.

Gov. LETCHER yesterday sent to the Legislature a communication from Gen. STARKE, the Mississippi Commissioner, urging speedy action by Virginia in favor of a Southern Conference, for her self-preservation, for the preservation of the Constitution and the Union, and the equal rights of all the States and their people, in the Confederacy. It was made the special order for Tuesday in the Senate, and referred to a Committee in the House.

Murders.

COLORED WOMAN KILLED AT BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Sunday, March 4.

A white boy, 20 years of age, deliberately murdered a colored woman this afternoon, in the western part of the city, shooting her in her own doorway.

MURDERED BY ROWDIES IN PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Saturday, March 3.

A brutal homicide was committed here this morning. JOHN PARKER, a cartman, was beaten to death by two young rowdies at a lumber yard. The attack was unprovoked. PARKER was a Prussian by birth. The rowdies have not yet been arrested.

Obituary.

OF A CANADIAN POLITICIAN.

TORONTO, C. W., Saturday, March 3.

Hon. JAMES CROOKS died yesterday at his residence in West Flamboro'. He was one of the oldest members of the Legislative Council.

VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE PHILADELPHIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA, Sunday, March 4.

WM. R. FOSTER, Jr., Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Railroad died suddenly this morning.

From Trinidad.

BALTIMORE, Sunday, March 4.

Advices from Port of Spain, Trinidad, to the 16th ult., report a load of sugar sold at $4 25, but holders were subsequently very firm at an advance, in consequence of favorable advices from England. The stock of American provisions and breadstuffs was light, but prices were ruling low.

The Ohio River.

PARKERSBURG, Va., Saturday, March 3.

The water in the channel of the river at this point, and for two hundred miles below Pittsburgh, is twelve feet deep, and rising. There are daily departures for the Ohio and Mississippi landings.

The Steamship Jura.

NEW-BEDFORD, Saturday, March 3.

The steamship *Jura* left this morning. The cause of her detention was that the tugs were too small. The *Achilles* is expected to meet and take the *Jura* in tow to-day.

Fatal Accident.

CONCORD, N. H., Saturday, March 3.

IRA W. COLKINS, a student in the Methodist Biblical Institute of this city, was killed last night by being thrown from a hand-car in which he was taking exercise.

The Mayoralty of Utica.

UTICA, Saturday, March 3.

DEWITT C. GROVE, the Democratic nominee, is the only candidate for the Mayoralty, CALVIN HALL, the Republican candidate, having refused to run.

Markets by Telegraph.

BALTIMORE, Saturday, March 3.

FLOUR firm and active. WHEAT active and advanced 2c.; White, $1 50@$1 60; Red, $1 35@$1 38. CORN active and ½c. higher; White, 70c.@73c.; Yellow, 72c.@74c. PROVISIONS dull; Mess Pork, $18. WHISKY heavy at 24½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Saturday, March 3.

FLOUR—firm, but quiet. WHEAT, steady. CORN, unchanged. PROVISIONS, quiet. WHISKY, steady.

NEW-ORLEANS, Saturday, March 3.

COTTON unchanged; sales to-day, 10,000 bales. SUGAR, 6¼c.@7c. for fair to fully fair. Freights and Exchange unchanged.

MOBILE, Saturday, March 3.

COTTON—Sales to-day, 4,000 bales, at 10½c. for middling, the market closing quiet but steady.

Philadelphia Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Saturday, March 3.

Stocks firm. Pennsylvania State Fives 92⅛; Reading Railroad 20⅜; Morris Canal 51⅛; Long Island Railroad 11⅜; Pennsylvania 38⅛.

Exchanges.

PHILADELPHIA, Saturday, March 3.

Sight drafts on New-York at par.

A stable and two barns on the large farm of Col. Daniel Farmer, at Amoskeag Village, a mile and a quarter from Manchester, N. H., were destroyed by fire Feb. 27. Loss nearly $8,000; insurance $1,750 in the Farmers' Mutual, Gilmanton, and $850 in the Belknap County Company. The house, which was insured for $2,000, was somewhat damaged. The flames caught from a fluid lantern.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

THE PREACHING OF REV. HENRY GRATTAN GUINNESS.—Rev. HENRY GRATTAN GUINNESS preached again in the large hall of Cooper Institute yesterday afternoon and evening, by invitation of the Young Men's Christian Association. Both the sermons were especially devoted to young men. In the afternoon there were some thousands more went to the Institute than could gain admittance to the hall, and in the evening the place was filled, even to the entrances on either side. At the evening service his text was taken from the 28th verse of the 24th chapter of Acts, which he considered and applied to his audience as being the probable feeling of a large majority in relation to the welfare of their souls. "Go thy way for this time," was the thought that governed the action of the young in matters of religion. Even those who recognized the absolute necessity of making their peace with God, in the vigor of youth, with a world of seeming pleasure before them, were loth to give up what to them appeared to be the joys of life, and so put off the day of repentance and seeking after God until a more convenient season. The danger of delay and the awful consequences of a failure to find a convenient season, were presented by the preacher with peculiar earnestness; and his appeals to the young men to leave off the ways of sin and turn to the Saviour, were forcible and at times eloquent. Listening to Mr. GUINNESS on the first time it is difficult to understand to what he owes his great success as a preacher. The ideas and illustrations he presents lack originality. He speaks of sin and sinners, of Christ and the way of salvation, in the stereotyped words of the thousands of not strikingly successful preachers who have spoken before him, and who are speaking still. To an habitual church-goer his expressions fall familiarly upon the ear, and his scriptural quotations affect the minds of his listeners as he prepares the way for them, and before he has given them utterance. Neither is his gesticulation vigorous or unusual, and although he is a man of commanding presence, he seems to be unconscious of it while speaking, for he never uses it for effect, as he might safely do. His peculiarity is a remarkable earnestness, an earnestness which is not shown by tension of the muscles, or by facial contortions. He speaks calmly and with dignity. His earnestness affects his hearers, and by the mellow tremulousness of his voice and the eager expression of his eye rivets the attention, and satisfies that he is thoroughly in earnest and goes about to do good.

BAYARD TAYLOR'S LECTURE ON HUMBOLDT.—Mr. TAYLOR delivered this lecture on Saturday evening, at Clinton Hall, before the Young Men's Christian Union. The lecture was advertised to be delivered at the Cooper Institute, but for some reason the place was changed at the last hour. The room was full, notwithstanding the unpleasant weather and the muddy streets. This lecture on HUMBOLDT was the same that Mr. TAYLOR was invited to deliver at Richmond, Va., and which invitation was afterwards withdrawn upon the ground that Mr. TAYLOR represented the great *savan* as an atheist. In the course of the lecture on Saturday evening Mr. TAYLOR, after alluding to the piety of HUMBOLDT as most sincere and profound, said that he had been denounced by certain bigots and shallow-pated persons for representing HUMBOLDT as an atheist; but that, since the audience had heard what he had just said upon this point respecting the subject of his discourse, he would not insult their understanding by replying to such a charge. [As this was taken by the audience to be an allusion to the Virginia affair, the applause was loud and prolonged.] Mr. TAYLOR said that HUMBOLDT had a profound contempt for all show and hypocrisy in religious matters, and heartily despised such men and clergy who kept only one eye upon Heaven and the other upon the earth; but at the same time he, himself, was a most devout religious worshipper, an unadulterated Christian, and a pure and simple-hearted man. The lecturer was loudly applauded throughout his remarks.

ANNUAL DINNER OF THE PIONEER CLAY CLUB.—On Saturday evening the Annual Dinner of the Pioneer Clay Club came off at the Appullo Rooms. It was attended by upwards of one hundred persons who sat down to a table loaded with every delicacy, and decorated with a fine bust of the immortal statesman, and with mottoes appropriate to the occasion. Wallace's Band furnished the music. At 9 o'clock the company passed into the supper room. Mr. JAMES M. MURRAY, President of the Club, took the chair, and after full justice had been done to the dinner, the President, in prefacing the toasts, made some happy remarks in relation to the history of the Club and its devotion to its namesake, whose interests it was established to promote twenty-one years ago, when the great statesman was in his prime. They had served him in life, and cherished his memory in death. Mr. MURRAY's remarks were loudly applauded. Letters were read from Hon. JOHN MINOR BOTTS, whose name brought forth great cheers, Speaker PENNINGTON, Mayor WOOD, GEO. BRIGGS and others, each one containing appropriate and patriotic sentiments. They were followed by speeches from C. E. GLOSSBRENER, A. J. HAMAKER and JAS. WEBB, all of whom advanced strong Union sentiments, much to the gratification of the assemblage. During the proceedings Mr. GEO. ALKER, one of the founders of the organization, was presented with a beautiful gold medal, as a token of the regard of his associates, and Mrs. MURRAY, the President's wife, was made a life member for her services in the Clay campaign as a Whig woman. The company separated at a late hour in good spirits.

STATE OF THE HUDSON RIVER.—Between Albany and Hudson the ice which has covered the river during the winter, has nearly all yielded to the violent rains and the mild temperature of the last week. From Hudson to Catskill the river is entirely open; to Crum Elbow—four or five miles above Poughkeepsie—there are occasional barriers to easy navigation, and between the latter place and this city the ice has vanished. Barges have been running to Newburgh for several days, and those which make regular trips between this city and Poughkeepsie will resume operations this week. The steamboat *Norwich* was to start for Rondout on Saturday, and it was confidently believed that her well-known ice cutting powers would enable her to accomplish the voyage to Albany without much difficulty should she undertake to force her way further than her first destination. There can be little doubt that boats will be making trips between this city and Albany before the close of the present week.

THE CALIFORNIA STEAMSHIP SALE—"ILLINOIS" AND "MOSES TAYLOR" IN COURT.—It seems that the extraordinary proceedings of this sale are to come before our Courts. Mr. W. C. BARNEY has brought a suit against MARSHALL O. ROBERTS, HORACE F. CLARK and EDWARD N. DICKERSON, trustees, who advertised these steamships for sale. Mr. BARNEY claims that these trustees, by their auctioneer, M. O. ROBERTS, "wrongfully and fraudulently struck off and sold said steamships against the remonstrance of protest of said plaintiff, to the lower bidder for $25,000, and refused to sell the same to said plaintiff, although the said plaintiff was ready and able and willing to complete the purchase of said steamships," and "for this wrongful and fraudulent conduct of the said defendents, he claims damages in the sum of $200,000. Hon. JOSEPH L. WHITE is Mr. BARNEY's counsel, and BOIES & COOPER his Attorneys.

A NOTE OF WAR.—A rumor prevailed in the City on Saturday, that all officers of the Army on furlough in New-York had been directed to report themselves directly at Washington, where orders were waiting them to join immediately their Regiments and proceed to the western frontier of Texas. The alarming condition of affairs on the Texas frontier, it was stated, had rendered this step necessary, but that the Government were moving very secretly in the matter. An inquiry at Governor's Island developed no further foundation for the rumor than that Major HOLMES had been instructed to detail forthwith to Regiments the recruits on the island. Gen. SCOTT says that he has not been advised of the issue of any such orders as those referred to, and that he believes none have been issued. The correctness or falsity of the rumor will doubtless be definitely known in a day or two.

HEALTH LAWS FOR NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN.—Memorials are now being circulated in this City and Brooklyn for signatures, to be sent to the State Legislature, asking the enactment of a new sanitary system and code of health laws for New York and Brooklyn. A new sanitary system is importuned on the ground that the present one is entirely inefficient, and that some action should be taken to diminish the present immorality, pauperism and vice. A healthful condition of streets, and a proper structure of tenement houses, it is alleged, might be brought about by the establishment of a competent and judicious Health Bureau. The memorials have been already numerously signed.

OBITUARY.—Mr. JOHN G. BOKER, a well-known wine merchant of this City, and the original proprietor of the Dusseldorff Gallery, died on Saturday. His remains will be taken to Germany for interment. Two or three years since, Mr. BOKER's name figured conspicuously in the newspapers, in consequence of the elopement of his daughter with her father's coachman; a circumstance which brought the family relations into great notoriety, and which resulted in the total estrangement of the lady from her father.

ATTEMPTED SELF-DESTRUCTION.—ELLEN DUFIGNAC, a young Irish widow, residing at No. 42 Rivington-street, endeavored to swallow a quantity of vitriol on Saturday morning, for the purpose of killing herself. She only succeeded in excoriating her mouth and lips with the sulphate, when a relative interposed and took it from her. It is said that the recent death of the lady's husband has so affected her mind as to render her insane at intervals.

A CLERICAL CHANGE.—On Sunday morning Rev. CASSIUS HOMER HARVEY, recently a Methodist pastor, formally joined the Baptist denomination, and was baptised by Dr. ARMITAGE, in the Norfolk-street Baptist Church. In the evening Mr. HARVEY preached a forcible sermon from Acts i., 6, in which he gave his reasons for becoming a Baptist.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE STANTON-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—On Sunday afternoon, at 2½ o'clock, this Church held its thirty-sixth anniversary. After the usual exercises, Rev. Dr. HISCOX gave a history of the Church, which had been divided into five pastorates, and announced the fact that the congregation had liquidated a debt of several thousands upon it, last February.

SWORN IN.—The Mayor's Chief Clerk, Mr. AULD, on Saturday morning administered the oath of office to Mr. THOMAS CODDY, recently appointed Clerk of Franklin Market; to E. M. SWEENEY, Bell-ringer on the Thirty-third-street Tower, appointed in place of SAMUEL H. WALDEN, and to SAMUEL MCKINLEY, Bell-ringer on the Thirty-second-street Tower, in place of W. W. TIBBLES. The bell ringers were appointed by Mayor WOOD the previous day.

NEW-YORK HOSPITAL.—The following is the report for the week ending March 2: Remaining, Feb. 24, 213; admitted to March 2, 44; discharged, cured or relieved, 25; died, 1; remaining at date, 231; males, 195; females, 36.

Missionary Meetings.

TWENTY-SEVENTH-STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

The Twenty-seventh-street Methodist Church devoted the entire day yesterday to Missionary Meetings. Services were held in the morning, when Rev. Dr. PORTER preached; in the afternoon, when Drs. WISE and PORTER spoke, and in the evening, when a discourse was delivered by Rev. J. JONES, of Michigan. The remarks of Dr. WISE were peculiarly interesting. He took the ground that the missionary work is mainly done by the minority of the Church; that Christians can have for abstaining from missionary work neither the excuse of ignorance, of indifference, of not having been commanded to the work by God, or of lack of results. He claimed that during the last fifty years there have been converted two hundred millions of heathen—as many as there were converts existing two centuries after the Christian era began. At the three meetings of the day and evening collections were taken up, which, with the contributions of the Sunday School, will swell the amount given by this Church this year for missionary purposes to eight hundred dollars.

MOUNT OLIVET BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. BROWN, a returned missionary from Burmah, preached at 10½ A. M., yesterday, in the Mount Olivet Baptist Church, corner of Sixth-avenue and Forty-first-street. His discourse was not of his experiences in the far-off land, but related to the sufferings of Christ on the Cross. John xii., 27, 28 was his text. He dwelt upon the acuteness of the feelings of Jesus as a man and the exaltation of his spirit as God; on the magnitude of the atonement which he made for the sins of men, and on the duties of Christians who inherited heaven through Him. The sermon was listened to very attentively by a large congregation.

Fires.

By a fire which broke out on the first floor of the building No. 281 Canal-street, about four o'clock Saturday morning, Mr. J. C. REINEIS, a tailor, lost stock valued at $3,000; insured in the New-Amsterdam Co. Mr. PRATT BET, keeper of a lager-bier saloon in the basement, suffered to the amount of $200, and PATRICK DICKIE, the owner of the building, lost $400. Both were insured, the latter in the Jefferson Co.... The dwelling-house No. 257 Seventh-avenue, was injured by fire Saturday afternoon, to the amount of $250. Mr. LAWRENCE MCGRATH, the occupant, loses $200, and MICHAEL HENRY, a saddler on the first floor, $75. Neither is insured.

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A NOTORIOUS FACT.

Refrigerators, Table Cutlery, Silver-plated Ware, and Housekeeping Articles at much less prices than at other houses, at E. D. BASSFORD'S, Cooper Institute corner of Astor-place, Third and Fourth-avenues. Call and see prices before buying elsewhere.

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT.—Scald head, sores and scorbutic eruptions, after a speedily expurgated from the system. The pills neutralize the active cause which feeds these exfoliations, and the unguent softens the incrustations, and removes them without leaving a blemish.

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LONDON CLUB SAUCE.—This unrivaled Sauce, manufactured by PARKER BROS., London, can be obtained of their agent in this City, A. J. PARKER, No. 15 Beekman-street. This article is superior to the Worcestershire Sauce, and can be obtained at one-half the price.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.

Millions of bottles are now used every year in the United States for children teething, with never-failing success. Relief is immediate and certain. Only 25 cents a bottle.

Passengers Sailed.

MARCH 3—*In steamship Arago, for Southampton and Havre.*—Capt. Dorming, U. S. N., Mrs. H. Eyncon, N. O.; Mr. and Mrs. Pierson, New-York; O. Blanc, Watertown, Jefferson County; John Eich, A. Guther, Mr. Cheeks, Mr. C. H. Lord, New-York; Mr. Samuel Stuart, New-Orleans; Mr. R. Bene, Mr. G. H. Petrie, Mr. J. O. Bolles, Mr. J. C. Day, Mr. T. Lyman, Mrs. Gervase Wheeler and servant, Miss M. E. Wheeler, Miss E. Wheeler, Miss H. Wheeler, Master Donald Wheeler, Donald McKay, Boston; Rev. S. B. Little, J. B. Brush, Mr. Bolffs, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Roch, New-York, Mr and Mrs. Wm. Schramm and child, G. H. Hughes, Vice Consul, Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Gourley, Mr. and Mrs. Matt B. Ellis and servant, Miss Mary Bale, Miss Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lingg, Mr. Sceiller, San Francisco; P. Cuesta, Madrid; ——. Meyer, New-York; V. V. Monden, Vonder Sandcker, J. T. Lavitt, S. S. Kohnwieler, J. O. Vail, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, Phila; Mr. and Mrs. Dr. B. E. Cotting, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Seeligman, three children and servant, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Otto, Berlin; A. Somellera, Spain; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. F. Law and child; J. M. Garibo, A. Alvarez, Mexico; Leon Dury, J. N. Goodwin, Capt. Homont, Havre; Mr. Lansing, John Wilson, Master W. F. Wilson, Mrs. J. Van Pick, Miss Van Pick, G. L. Brunschweiler, Wm. Roes, R. Trub, A. M. Davidson, N. Y.; Pierre Rivalta, Rome; Mr. Sawteier, Capt. John White, New-Orleans; Mondle Levy, Canada West; H. W. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Arnaurd and four children; Mr. and Mrs. C. de Letang and child, California; F. M. Mass, L. Marx; Mrs. Delporte, Mrs. Trooaz, Mrs. T. Smith and child, W. T. Roelfsen, two Sisters of Charity—Total, 105. Specie, $683,309.

Passengers Arrived.

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